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PRICE TWO CENTS

## TAX \$18,820,469

### THAT IS PROPERTY VALUATION

Is \$320,000 More  
Than Year 1905

LA CROSSE IS PROSPEROUS

Is the Evidence Adduced  
by Annual Report of  
City Assessors

Increase of \$320,000 in the assessed  
valuation of the city of La Crosse is  
shown in the report of Tax Commis-  
sioner J. J. Frisch completed today.  
The gain of the year places La Crosse  
almost in the \$19,000,000 class of cities,  
the total valuation being about \$20,-  
000 short of that figure.

The assessed valuation of La Crosse  
for the year is \$18,820,469 compared  
with \$18,499,507 for the year 1905.  
Gains in the values of mules, bank  
stocks, leaf tobacco, real estate and  
quasi public property make up the  
magnificent increase.

The largest gain is shown in quasi  
public property. The figures give a  
total of \$190,000 more for this year  
than last. Bank stock follows, a gain  
of \$142,119 being shown for the year.  
Real estate comes next with \$132,000.

By increasing the mule population  
from three to twenty-three the value  
of the city was raised \$2,625 at the rate  
of about \$100 for each beast.

Leaf tobacco, a coming industry for  
La Crosse, has a comfortable increase,  
the figures for 1906 giving a gain of  
\$29,979 for the year.

"The figures show what La Crosse  
has done," said Tax Commissioner  
Frisch. "The figures tell the story of  
the growth of the city."

"The increase is a good one for La  
Crosse and shows from our side of  
city affairs that the municipality is  
growing in valuation."

The report, comparing the figures  
of 1906 and 1905 follows:

|                                    | No.   | 1906         | No.   | 1905         |
|------------------------------------|-------|--------------|-------|--------------|
| Horses                             | 1,276 | \$ 85,885    | 1,400 | \$ 92,050    |
| Neat cattle                        | 474   | 11,340       | 566   | 13,185       |
| Mules                              | 23    | 2,750        | 3     | 125          |
| Vehicles                           | 1,598 | 62,780       | 1,718 | 65,050       |
| Automobiles                        | 36    | 31,250       | 23    | 20,150       |
| Watches                            | 72    | 4,560        | 80    | 4,910        |
| Pianos                             | 837   | 84,350       | 926   | 99,310       |
| Organs and melodeons               | 9     | 240          | 41    | 1,000        |
| Merchants and manufacturers' stock |       | 2,104,806    |       | 2,137,209    |
| Monies, credits                    |       | 1,340,019    |       | 1,430,560    |
| Bank stock                         |       | 1,000,131    |       | 858,012      |
| Vessels                            | 24    | 15,100       | 26    | 19,050       |
| Personal property                  |       | 342,070      |       | 376,334      |
| Leaf tobacco                       |       | 60,995       |       | 30,116       |
| Totals                             |       | \$ 5,145,376 |       | \$ 5,147,061 |
| Real Property                      |       |              |       |              |
| Real estate                        |       | 13,035,093   |       | 12,902,446   |
| Quasi public property              |       | 640,000      |       | 450,000      |
| Grand totals                       |       | \$18,820,469 |       | \$18,499,507 |

### CONDITION IS UNCHANGED

The condition of Mrs. John Web-  
ber of 433 Avon street, who received  
a paralytic stroke on her left side a  
few days ago remains about the same.  
Dr. Evans is attending her and a  
specialist from Milwaukee has also  
been brought here.

### WED, GREW RICH, SPURNED SPOUSE

Ripon Woman Asks Divorce  
From Man Who has not  
Called in 20 years

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)  
RIPON, Wis., Sept. 18.—Ed-  
na Welch today sued James H.  
Welch for divorce alleging he  
did not call upon her for twenty  
years although he is supporting  
her.  
He became wealthy soon after  
his marriage and his wife says  
he wanted to denounce her after  
gaining his riches.

### HARRIMAN NEEDS \$40,000,000 TO CONTROL B. & O.

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Kuhn-  
Loeb & Co. admit E. H. Harriman  
is negotiating to secure control of the  
Baltimore & Ohio, but report that  
he does control it is premature as he  
lacks \$40,000,000 of stock which the  
Kuhn-Loeb company holds.

### MORE FIGHTING IS CUBAN REPORT

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 18.—  
Navy department dispatches announce  
the arrival at Cienfuegos of the cruiser  
Dixie. The commander says there  
are no further disturbances there.

**Taft Leaves Tampa**  
TAMPA, Fla., Sept. 18.—The Taft  
party arrived this morning two hours  
late and embarked in a tug to reach  
the Des Moines. They sailed for Ha-  
vana immediately.

**Troops Are Advancing**  
HAVANA, Sept. 18.—It is reported  
two thousand men under Betancourt  
are advancing to attack Matanzas de-  
spite the fact Guerra has accepted an  
armistice. Cienfuegos is believed to  
be under siege.

**WANTED**—Two girls at La Crosse  
Boot & Shoe Manufacturing company.

### SHIPPING WRECK- ED IN TYPHOON

Thousand Lives are Lost  
in Terrific Storm  
Off China

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
HONG KONG, Sept. 18.—A ty-  
phoon this morning did great damage  
to shipping.  
The German steamer Jahanne and  
the British steamer Sanchung sunk.  
The steamer Fatshan foundered, the  
purser and mate alone surviving. The  
steamer Mont Eagle is ashore.  
Business in the city is at a stand-  
still.

A thousand persons were drowned.  
The disaster is one of the worst in  
the history of the city.

Scores of vessels are swamped and  
beaten to pieces. An American sail-  
ing vessel, S. P. Hitchcock, is among  
the vessels ashore.

It is understood six steamers found-  
ered in the harbor. Nearly every  
vessel lost went down with all hands.

**Damage Millions**  
HONG KONG, Sept. 18.—The  
French torpedo boat Fronde sunk and  
a number of her crew are missing.  
Several Europeans were drowned.  
The property damage will reach  
millions. The British steamer Wing  
Chai is identified among the wrecks.  
The German steamers Signal, Pe-  
trach and Emmalyken are ashore  
and the Prinz Baldegar were damaged.

### TRIAL OF JEWS TRAVESTY ON LAW

WARSAW, Sept. 18.—Two hun-  
dred were convicted today and  
sentenced to death for participation in the  
recent outbreak at Siedlce.

It is known that before the officers  
were selected to try the defendants  
they agreed to find them guilty.

Such a travesty on justice has never  
been seen even in Russia in many  
years.

Those convicted are mostly Jews,  
friends and relatives of the dead vic-  
tims of the massacres.

Such a protest is aroused it is be-  
lieved that St. Petersburg will order  
the commutation of their sentences.

**Jews Appeal to World**  
LONDON, Sept. 18.—An effort to  
save the condemned Jews has already  
been started in England. The Jews  
are issuing appeals to all civilized na-  
tions to protest.

### CONGRATULATIONS SWAMP THE "CHAMPS"

Congratulations for President Eli-  
ott, Manager Hawley and the mem-  
bers of the champs flood the office of  
President Elliott. From nearly every  
club president in the league a tele-  
gram, congratulating La Crosse, has  
been received.

John F. Larie, president of the Osh-  
kosh club, did not forget the champs  
in the day of happiness over winning  
the pennant. He sent a telegram  
wishing the boys good luck and prais-  
ing them for winning the flag.

From a score of La Crosse citizens  
telegrams were received at Freeport.  
President Elliott has the telegrams  
and may have them framed.

Manager Hawley also is receiving  
the regards of friends throughout the  
country for piloting the team through  
a second successful season.

### GETTING READY FOR THE FAIR



### FUSION MAY DE- FEAT CHURCHILL

New Hampshire Corporations  
are Trembling Lest he  
Should Win

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 18.—The  
republican convention was called and  
not a single delegate was absent. The  
candidates for governor were in the  
field. The Greenleaf forces are try-  
ing to gain the support of others to  
mass against Churchill.

**Graft Tainted New York**  
NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The most  
picturesque of factional fights in the  
political history of the state is in  
progress today. The polls opened at  
2 o'clock this afternoon and close at  
9 o'clock tonight.

McClellan and Higgins are each  
awake to the venality of the machine  
which made him and which they are  
now trying to oust.

McClellan is causing Murphy the  
hardest fight of his career. Murphy  
is tireless in his effort to retain the  
graft-stained scepter.

Odell and Higgins object to the at-  
tack.

Odell is determined to retain con-  
trol and preserve the machine.

He won a number of skirmishes  
against the Higgins faction.

### FIRST BRICK ON CALEDONIA ST.

The first brick on the Caledo-  
nia street paving job was placed  
at twenty-five minutes three and  
three-fifths seconds after 1  
o'clock this afternoon. The time  
was secured at the fraction of a  
second by Major Stevenson of  
the North side with Harry Eb-  
ner's stop watch.

### REFUTES POLICE CHARGE: "BROKE"

Frank Short, short of money and  
long on booze, was sentenced to thirty  
days in the county jail this morn-  
ing by Judge Brindley. Short ex-  
hibited antipathy to pleading guilty  
to a vagrancy charge when he had  
money on his person.

In response to the declaration of  
Detective Taylor that Short was  
"broke," the prisoner drew 20 cents  
from his trousers. He had secreted  
this from the police.

"Ain't that money," said Short  
proudly, pointing to two "fives" and  
a "ten."  
He was hustled off to jail.

### CONNORS GUILTY OF JAIL BREAKING

Jury Convicts Him After  
Ten Minutes Delibera-  
tion This Morning

After only ten minutes delibera-  
tion the jury in the case of the state of  
Wisconsin against Edward Connors,  
charging him with breaking jail, re-  
turned a verdict this morning finding  
the prisoner guilty. The charge of  
Judge Fruit to the jury bore out the  
case of the prosecution.

Upon the verdict being rendered  
Attorney Withrow, defending Con-  
ners, moved for a new trial. He al-  
so asked that sentence be suspended  
until tomorrow at least. Judge Fruit  
promised not to sentence the prison-  
er until then.

The evidence was completed yes-  
terday afternoon, the details of the  
escape, flight and capture being gone  
through with by the employees at the  
jail and Undersheriff Scott.

Arguments to the jury also were  
started yesterday afternoon, but not  
completed. They were resumed this  
morning, after which Judge Fruit  
gave his charge.

The jury was out only a short time,  
returning with a verdict of guilty.  
Connors was taken back to jail to  
await sentence. He may be senten-  
ced to state's prison or the county jail,  
the choice being optional with Judge  
Fruit.

Upon the completion of the Con-  
ners case, the trial of Thorwald Ol-  
son on a statutory charge was start-  
ed. A jury was secured in a short  
time. The twelve men to decide the  
fate of Olson are:

Webb Terpstra, Holland; C. Van  
de Water, Holland; Otto Gilbertson,  
La Crosse; Alfred Hemker, West Sa-  
lem; Charles Cone, La Crosse; Cas-  
per Newburg, La Crosse; Ernest  
Richter, Bangor; John Vollmar, La  
Crosse; Henry Rhodes, Barre; B. F.  
Keeler, La Crosse; John A. Bayer,  
La Crosse; George Schitzsach, La  
Crosse.

District Attorney Bosshard is pro-  
secuting while Morris & Hartwell rep-  
resent the defendant.

**FOURTEEN HURT IN WRECK**  
(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
KINSLEY, Kas., Sept. 18.—A San-  
ta Fe train was wrecked and four-  
teen were badly hurt.

### THREW PEPPER IN HACKBARTH'S EYES

Because he threw pepper into the  
eyes of A. W. Hackbarth and also  
rubbing the biting stuff on his lips and  
tongue, Edward Koehler, 609 North  
Fifteenth and a Half street, must an-  
swer a charge of assault and battery.  
The alleged crime was committed a  
week ago in a spirit of fun.

The case was set for 3 o'clock this  
afternoon in Judge Brindley's court.

**WANTED**—Girl for general house-  
work. Call 2215 Mormon Coulee  
road.

## PASSENGER TRAIN DASHES INTO RIVER; 96 DROWN

### MAY DEMAND FULL PENALTY ON JOB

City Tired of Waiting for  
Pavement and May Collect  
From Contractors

Mayor William Torrance has called  
a meeting of the special streets im-  
provement committee for Tuesday  
night to consider the application of  
Contractors Wooley & Hanson for an  
extension of time on the Caledonia  
street paving job. In all probability  
the petition will be denied and the  
penalty of \$50 each day inflicted.

When the contract was awarded  
the council ordered a premium of \$10  
per day to be paid for each day the  
work was unfinished before Oct. 1.  
In view of this fact the penalty,  
amounting to \$1,000 will be enforced.

The contractors signed a contract  
with the city to this effect which will  
make the collection legal. The coun-  
cil also passed a resolution a short  
time ago refusing to grant extensions  
of time and putting itself on record  
as in favor of enforcing the penalty.  
Contractors Wooley & Hanson are  
now days behind time in completing  
the Caledonia street job. That the  
total penalty will be heavy is probable  
for the work cannot be finished.

The bonding company, which in-  
sured the contractors, may take up the  
work and rush it to completion to save  
expense.

**Stop Wiring Work**  
Aldermen Schulze and Downs stop-  
ped the work of rewiring the city hall  
temporarily demanding that the board  
of public works see that the wires  
were concealed as called for in the  
specifications, and were not run along  
the ceiling by the contractors.

### VOLIVA WILL BE LEADER, LIKELY

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
WAUKEGAN, Ill., Sept. 18.—  
Election is being held in Zion  
City today. The partisanship is  
bitter.

Indications are that Voliva will  
defeat Dowie. Dowie is prepar-  
ing to spend the winter in Mexi-  
co.

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**DRUNKEN PRISONER CURSES JUDGE**  
Martin Torreson of Coon Valley Liable  
for Punishment for Contempt

Swearing and cursing at the court  
and complaining witness, and then  
trying to laugh off the charge and  
trouble he had stirred up, disrupting  
the session of the court, Martin Tor-  
reson, Coon Valley, placed himself in  
contempt of court before Judge Brin-  
dley this afternoon.

Torreson was arraigned on com-  
plaint of John M. Stenson, who charg-

### More Details of Awful Disaster

ACCIDENT IN OKLAHOMA

Engine is Entirely Submerged  
and Only Six Passen-  
gers Escape

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

LAWTON, Okla., Sept. 18.—  
The local offices of the Rock Isl-  
and are notified by a meager tel-  
egram that a passenger train  
plunged into the Cimarron river.

The report says the engine is  
out of sight in the raging flood  
and the trainmen were killed and  
probably many others.

**Ninety-six Are Dead**  
HENNESSEY, Okla., Sept. 18.

—It is reported here the entire  
train plunged into the Cimarron  
river.

Only six of the hundred pas-  
sengers were saved according to  
the report.

### BAND FOR MAJOR LEAGUE GAMES

To show the appreciation of the  
La Crosse fans for the champs win-  
ning the state league pennant, it has  
been proposed that a parade be held  
before the game Saturday, the St.  
Paul major leaguers and La Crosse  
players participating along with the  
fans.

A band will be secured to head the  
column and a march around the prin-  
cipal streets of the city made. Mayor  
Torrance, President Elliott, Manag-  
er Hawley, Captain Bond and fans  
will be called upon to make a few  
short addresses at the park before the  
game is called if the program is car-  
ried out.

The receipts from the game will go  
to the players, the game acting as a  
benefit and also a token of remem-  
brance for winning the flag.

### WEATHER & WATER

Fair tonight and Wednesday;  
moderately warm.

Coolest, 66; warmest, 82; wind,  
6 miles.

The river will be about sta-  
tionary.

Stage of water 5.9, a rise of .1;  
rainfall, .02 inch.



Report of the financial condition of the  
**BATAVIAN NATIONAL BANK**  
located at La Crosse, state of Wis-  
consin, at the close of business on the  
4th day of September, 1906:

| RESOURCES.                                 |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| Loans and discounts.....                   | \$2,511,102.65        |
| Overdrafts .....                           | 1,291.97              |
| U. S. bonds .....                          | 400,000.00            |
| Other bonds .....                          | 102,721.46            |
| Banking h'se and fixtures ..               | 75,000.00             |
| 5 pct. redemption fund....                 | 20,000.00             |
| Cash and due from banks ..                 | \$85,091.01           |
| <b>Total .....</b>                         | <b>\$3,695,207.09</b> |
| LIABILITIES.                               |                       |
| Capital stock .....                        | \$400,000.00          |
| Surplus .....                              | 100,000.00            |
| Undivided profits .....                    | 10,489.52             |
| National bank notes out-<br>standing ..... | 390,000.00            |
| Deposits .....                             | 2,794,717.57          |
| <b>Total .....</b>                         | <b>\$3,695,207.09</b> |

Report of the condition of  
**THE STATE BANK**  
La Crosse, Wis., Sept. 4, 1906.

| RESOURCES.                                     |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| Loans and discounts.....                       | \$645,879.94          |
| Overdrafts .....                               | 880.65                |
| Bonds .....                                    | 45,225.25             |
| Premium on bonds .....                         | 123.52                |
| Stocks and oth'r securities ..                 | 28,536.00             |
| Banking house, furniture<br>and fixtures ..... | 10,000.00             |
| Due from banks and in<br>vault .....           | \$309,351.74          |
| <b>Total .....</b>                             | <b>\$1,039,997.10</b> |
| LIABILITIES.                                   |                       |
| Capital stock paid in.....                     | \$50,000.00           |
| Surplus fund .....                             | 50,000.00             |
| Undivided profits .....                        | 9,202.38              |
| Deposits .....                                 | 930,794.72            |
| <b>Total .....</b>                             | <b>\$1,039,997.10</b> |

**THE NATIONAL BANK OF LA CROSSE.**  
Sept. 4th, 1906.

| RESOURCES.                                   |                       |
|--|-----------------------|
| Loans and discounts.....                     | \$2,672,571.45        |
| Overdrafts .....                             | 2,872.35              |
| U. S. bonds to secure cir-<br>culation ..... | 250,000.00            |
| Other bonds .....                            | 201,800.00            |
| Banking house .....                          | 50,000.00             |
| Other real estate .....                      | 100.00                |
| CASH RESOURCES.                              |                       |
| U.S.'s to secure .....                       |                       |
| U.S. deposits .....                          | \$50,000.00           |
| With banks .....                             | 640,447.56            |
| With Treas. U.S. .....                       | 12,500.00             |
| In vaults .....                              | 184,768.88            |
| <b>Total .....</b>                           | <b>\$4,065,060.24</b> |
| LIABILITIES.                                 |                       |
| Capital .....                                | \$250,000.00          |
| Surplus .....                                | 200,000.00            |
| Undivided profits .....                      | 36,800.04             |
| Circulation .....                            | 248,400.00            |
| Deposits .....                               | 3,329,860.20          |
| <b>Total .....</b>                           | <b>\$4,065,060.24</b> |

**UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.**

## COMPETENT JUDGES.

**Beauty Doctors Endorse Herpicide.**  
Women who make a business of beau-  
tifying other women come pretty near  
knowing what will bring about the best  
results. Here are letters from two, con-  
cerning Herpicide:

"I can recommend Newbro's 'Herpicide,' as it stopped my hair from falling out; and, as a dressing it has no super-  
ior."  
(Signed.) Bertha A. Trullinger,  
"Complexion Specialist,"  
294 Morrison St., Portland, Ore."

"After using one bottle of 'Herpicide' my hair has stopped falling out, and my scalp is entirely free from dandruff."  
(Signed.) Grace Dodge,  
"Beauty Doctor,"  
136 Sixth St., Portland, Ore."

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

**O. T. ERHART, Special Agent.**

## POSSE PROMISES TO LYNCH TWO

**RICHMOND, Ind., Sept. 18.**—There will be a double lynching at Liberty if a posse with bloodhounds is able to catch two robbers who almost fatally tortured and robbed Mrs. Ora Miller. The robbers took \$1,400 from Miller's home after burning Mrs. Miller's feet and setting fire to her clothing in an effort to make her disclose the hiding place of the money.

After Mr. Miller left home two men walked into the house she says. A revolver was thrust in her face, the robbers demanding that she tell where her husband had hidden his money, and warning her not to scream. She protested that her husband had left no money in the house.

When they saw she would not tell them the two men bound and gagged her. While one held her the other applied matches to her feet. Though the pain was intense she refused to divulge anything. One of the men continued to torture her, choking her, twisting her wrists, burning her feet, and limbs and setting fire to her gown. The other ransacked the house for the money. Mrs. Miller finally lost consciousness.

## EARLING'S SON KILLS ONE IN AUTO CRASH

**MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 18.**—Alfred Overland, 23 years of age, was run down Sunday afternoon near Oconomowoc by an auto driven by George Earling, son of President A. J. Earling of the St. Paul road, and died yesterday.

In the auto with Mr. Earling were his wife and two guests. They were going at a moderate pace when they met Overland riding a bicycle.

The road was wide at the place and Mr. Earling ran well to the side in order to keep clear of the bicycle. In some way a collision occurred, and Overland was thrown under the wheels of the auto. Mr. Earling at once went to his aid, but he was unconscious. Mr. Earling then picked him up, and taking him in his machine drove as rapidly as possible to a hotel at Nashotah, where medical aid was summoned.

It was found that the skull was fractured, and death came yesterday afternoon.

Soon after the accident President Earling came over from his summer home and directed that everything possible should be done for the injured man. Dr. H. M. Brown of Milwaukee was called and a special train, which made a record run, was ordered by President Earling. In spite of all that could be done the young man died. Mr. Earling and his wife were prostrated. Mr. Earling after bringing the injured man to the hotel fainted.

## NAP MAY COST DEATH

**LIBERTYVILLE, Ill., Sept. 18.**—Although Lewis Haeuli, a brakeman, fell asleep at his post he prevented a collision of two trains at this station. But his life may be the penalty for his nap. Haeuli was sent back from his train to flag the one following. While he dozed on the track, the engine of the following train struck him, and threw his lighted lantern high into the air. The engineer applied the brakes and brought the cars to a standstill in time to avert a crash. Haeuli was picked up unconscious and his condition is said to be precarious.

**A New Jersey Editor's Testimonial.**  
M. T. Lynch, Editor of the Philadel-  
phia Record, writes: "I have used many kinds of medicines for coughs and colds in my family but never anything so good as Foley's Honey and Tar. I cannot say too much in praise of it." Sold by O. T. Erhart.

# THE PLAYERS

## AND WHAT THEY OFFER THIS WEEK

## COLLEGE WIDOW BETTER THAN EVER

It is said that the original manuscript of "The College Widow," George Ade's highly successful play, which comes to the La Crosse theater, Thursday, Sept. 20, is one of the most complete ever delivered by an author. Mr. Ade had a very distinct idea of each character he introduces into his play and there were pages of appended notes in the script setting forth his notions regarding minute details of attire and make-ups.

It is said that everyone of the interesting village types in the comedy having living replicas in the town of West Lafayette, Ind., where is located Purdue University, from which the playwright was a graduate.

## A Rare Dramatic Treat

The favorite artist, Frank G. King, especially supported by the infantile marvel, Frank G. Jr., and a carefully selected company of capable and efficient artists, will present Hal Reid's dramatic success, "A Homespun Heart" at the La Crosse theater, on Friday, Sept. 21. This play needs no commendatory introduction to those who have seen it—and to those who have not, we would say, that they have a great dramatic treat in store for them. Its title, "A Homespun Heart" is singularly fitting and appropriate, as it portrays, in a forcible and realistic manner, the homely manly virtues of truth, honor and justice, that find a lodgment in the simple, honest heart of the hero, Andy Markoe, (interpreted by Mr. King) and corroborates the poet's immortal lines, "True hearts are more than coronets, and simple faith than Norman blood."

## Over Niagara Falls

There is enough comedy, daring and scenic sensation in Rowland & Clifford's "Over Niagara Falls," which comes to the La Crosse theater Saturday, Sept. 22. Nothing quite so gorgeous from a scenic standpoint has been in this city and the crowds that will flock to see this production can but marvel at the ingenuity of the scenic artist and the electrician. The managers of "Over Niagara Falls" lay particular stress upon the fact that their piece is a genuine novelty. All

hackneyed ideas of the drama have been eliminated, and those next to the stage substituted. To describe in cold type the exhilarating effect of the climax of the third act on the auditor would be impossible.

## Plays and Players.

The name of the comedy in which Mary Mannering will appear has been changed from "Lady Betty" to "Mistress Betty."

A prototype of Andrew Carnegie is to be seen in "The Measure of a Man" soon to be brought out at the Chestnut Street Theater, Philadelphia. Cora Maynard is the author of the play.

"Richard the Brazen," a story by Cyrus Townsend Brady is to be dramatized by Edward Peple for use of Henry E. Dixey later in the season.

Herbert Kecey and Effie Shannon are to head the cast of Charles Klein's latest play, "The Daughters of Men," to be produced by Harry B. Harris.

Kyrle Bellew is engaged in rehearsals of his new play, "Brigadier Gerard," by A. Conan Doyle. The piece is to have its first presentation at the Illinois theater, Chicago, early in October.

D'Annunzio has become so exacting and unreasonable in the mounting of his plays that neither Duse or any other player of not will undertake his new piece.

The distinction of David Belasco's new theater in New York, the Stuyvesant, is to be a double stage at the back of which one scene may be set while another is proceeding before the spectators. Then the stage swings the new scene before their eyes, and the play advances without halt or break in the illusion.

The break in the relationship between Belasco and Mrs. Leslie Carter is undoubtedly permanent. Mrs. Carter has signed a five years' contract with Mr. Dillingham, while Mr. Belasco is looking over the field carefully for some one to replace Mrs. Carter in his plans. Meanwhile a relief of Blanch Bates has replaced the mediation of Mrs. Carter that has long been a feature of the first leaf of the program at the Belasco theater.

## UMPIRE AUDIENCE WELL SATISFIED

The audience at the "Umpire" at the theater last evening, which nearly filled the remodeled playhouse, thoroughly enjoyed "The Umpire" with its clever chorus, pretty music and attractive costumes. Fred Mace, as Dolan, the umpire, was strong and comical. All of the parts were well taken, and altogether the piece proved one of the bright bits of comedy of a season.

Lady Fitzhugh, the wife of a bank burglar had considerable trouble dodging the bats which during the performances fly from the balcony to the stage and dart and swoop about the amphitheater. These bats troubled patrons of the house last year, and even though the house has been remodeled, evidently they have their same home among the rafters of the building, to put in a disagreeable appearance the minute the orchestra tunes up.

Cosy, Killian, Bubser, Jones and Medwitsky of the champion team entered the theater before the performance and received a tremendous ovation while seating themselves in a box. The house fairly shook with appreciative applause when the champions of the real game appeared. Several references to the league battle for the pennant, from the state, brought forth applause, the mention of Moriarty's name causing an outburst of shouts from the audience.

## The College Widow

The "College Widow," George Ade's great college show, which comes here for a return engagement Thursday evening, Sept. 20, will be the next notable attraction on the boards, and will no doubt be greeted by a packed house, as Milwaukee press comment, upon the show playing there, says the present production is equal to, if, indeed, it does not excel that of last year.

The Tribune prints complete local and telegraphic news each day—no rebash from other papers.

## ANOTHER RUSSIAN GENERAL IS SHOT

**WARSAW, Sept. 18.**—General Dorszewski, president of the court martial, while driving through Alexandra Square was shot and dangerously wounded. His assailant escaped.

The death of Herr Bush, the German, at Riga, has caused the German embassy to energetically request the foreign office to adopt methods to protect German subjects.

## SKYSCRAPERS WILL OUTLAST THE PYRAMIDS

**NEW YORK, Sept. 18.**—How long will the skyscraper last? Since the announcement that fifteen new skyscrapers are to be constructed here there has been considerable discussion of this question. Engineers and architects who are familiar with the problems involved are agreed that if proper precautions are taken to protect the structural steel from rust and fire there is practically no limit to their endurance.

In view of the fact that \$40,000,000 are to be put into these fifteen new skyscrapers the assurance that they will stand for generations has given their owners and builders a considerable feeling of security.

The ordinary observer hardly realizes what extraordinary precautions are necessary to prevent any serious injury to the big steel structures of this and other large cities. Foundations even of structures 30 or 40 stories high, are now so firmly built that although the whole building may weigh hundreds of millions of pounds

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it cannot sink the fraction of an inch. The large area of a structure over 500 feet high makes the question of wind bracing one for very serious and accurate calculation, but architects have now got the thing down so fine that they work out this difficult problem on a nicety.

With the question of foundations and the wind bracing settled, then come the problems of protecting the structural steel from rust and heat, and the proper use of fireproofing materials. It is upon the adequate protection of the steel that the life of a skyscraper depends. Once rusted or corroded sets in the destruction of the whole building would become a matter of time only. But this is one of the most unlikely things that could happen in the skyscraper. Structural steel is now so thoroughly encased in hollow tile that moisture and damp cannot affect it in any way. At the same time the hollow tile protects

the steel from buckling in case of fire. The great height of the modern skyscrapers makes it indispensable that they should be absolutely fireproof—that is, unburnable. Architects are agreed that this can be most effectively done by building the floors and partitions of hollow tile bricks so that in the event of fire it is confined to the area in which it starts. The remarkable showing made by the steel and tile skyscrapers in San Francisco, and the fact that many of them are ready for occupancy again, proves that skyscrapers of this type of construction are safe from any fire.

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### MILWAUKEE'S MISTAKE IN NOT BUILDING YARD SEEN

The Milwaukee road at North La Crosse is now experiencing a rush of business, such as they have not seen here before in the history of the road.

If a few more cars were to come into the yards there would scarcely be enough room to admit the passenger train.

Four trains of 1,000 tons each were sent out this morning to Sparta, Rockland, West Salem and Medary for no

other purpose than to make more room, and it now is evident that the company made a mistake in not enlarging the yards here this summer, as they had planned to do.

A large number of cars also are being held at La Crosse and bridge switch so the yards here will not be overcrowded.

Several new brakemen have been put on.

### MILLINER'S FINGER PIERCED BY A HAT FRAME WIRE

#### Blood Poisoning Sets in and Young Woman May Suffer Permanent Injury as Result

While trimming a hat at the millinery store of Mrs. R. A. Taylor, on Rose street, Miss Martha Weimuller accidentally pierced the third finger of her right hand with some of the hat frame wire. She did not think much of the small injury until it began to

swell a short time afterward. She sought the attention of a physician who said that the cord had been pierced and that blood poisoning had set in.

It is feared that the finger may be permanently injured. Dr. Dvorak is attending her.

### JOLIVETTE-MARTELL WEDDING TO-DAY

#### PROMINENT ISLAND PEOPLE ARE UNITED

The wedding of Miss Alice Jolivet of West La Crosse to Edward Martell of the head of the island, took place this morning.

The ceremony was performed at the St. James church at 8 o'clock, Rev. Ambrose Murphy officiating.

Miss Agnes Jolivet, a sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Pierce was groomsmen. The bride was prettily attired in white silk and carried white bride's roses.

A large number of relatives and friends were present at the church to witness the ceremony, after which they repaired to the home of the bride where a dainty wedding breakfast was served.

A reception was then tendered the happy couple. It will be continued this evening at the home of the groom. Both have a large number of friends in La Crosse and vicinity.

### NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred T. Johnson have returned to their home at Chicago after a few days' visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson of Caledonia street. They will stop at Sparta a few days enroute.

Mrs. Halverson of George street, will entertain the Ladies' Aid society of the Scandinavian Baptist church Thursday afternoon.

Ben Olson who has been employed at the Lavaque grocery for some time has resigned and will go into business for himself.

Ben Thorsen of Tomah is here.

Miss Mabel Paulson has resumed her duties as cashier at the Langdon & Boyd office on the North side after a few weeks' vacation during which her business was attended to by Miss Clara Ruud.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Cary and Leo Kreitzke have returned to their home on the North side after a few weeks' visit with the former's daughter, Mrs. O. E. Bjorgaard of Cyrus, Minn., formerly Miss Myrtle Cary.

Miss Amelia Brinkman of 820 St. Andrew street, is the guest of relatives and friends at Moline, Ill.

### WARM CONTEST IN GRANITE STATE

(Special Tribune Service.)

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 18.—The republican state convention which assembled here today is one of the most notable gatherings of its kind which the Granite State has ever seen, marking the close of a campaign that has attracted attention far beyond the state lines. Four candidates are actively engaged in trying to win the place at the head of the ticket. They are Charles H. Greenleaf, Charles M. Floyd, Rosecrans W. Pillsbury and Winston Churchill.

The great issue this year is the question of corporation domination in politics. Messrs. Greenleaf and Floyd represent the conservative element, holding that state affairs are being well conducted and that no radical changes of any kind are necessary. Mr. Greenleaf is looked upon as the candidate of the regular republican organization and has the support of United States Senator Jacob H. Gallinger, who is chairman of the republican state committee.

Mr. Pillsbury, upon announcing his candidacy, declared that the conduct of state affairs for the past few years had been bad, and attributed this to the influence of the republican party "machine." He insists that state expenses have been increasing too rapidly, and that there are too many commissions carrying on state business.

Winston Churchill, the novelist, is responsible for much of the interest in the campaign. He is out for governor on a unique platform. He attacks the Boston & Maine railroad, and declares that its influence in New Hampshire politics is paramount. He says that this influence was largely gained through the issuance of free passes by the railroad to members of the legislature and others, and declares that such passes should be abolished. He also advocates a direct primary law, tax reform measures and the elimination of the lobby in the legislature. Since the beginning of Mr. Churchill's campaign, almost the sole topic of discussion in political circles has been the free-pass question.

That Mr. Churchill cannot win the nomination is the general opinion among those well informed as to the situation. But the platform that Mr. Churchill is supporting has undeniably made a deep impression. The result of this probably will be that the convention will declare for a change of the existing relations between the railroad system and the lawmakers, and will ask the senatorial and representative districts to select candidates in sympathy with the reform. The platform may be expected also to declare against the lobby, and probably point its finger in scorn to the Salem race-track legislation. The taxation question is likely to be met by resolutions providing for the establishment of a commission on equalization.

No one of the four candidates goes into the convention with a majority of the delegates, and the nomination probably will be settled by a combination. If it is impossible to bring about a union a dark horse may be sprung. Among those persons mentioned for such an emergency is the present governor, John McLane, who might be given another term to bridge over the chasm.

There has been some gossip that Churchill, in the event of his failure to win the nomination, might bolt the republican ticket, make an alliance with the democrats and run at the head of a fusion ticket. There is believed to be small chance, however, that this will occur. Former United States Senator W. E. Chandler is Churchill's political adviser, and it is not thought that Mr. Chandler would sanction a bolt from the republican ticket.

### IN MEMORY OF CHICKAMAUGA

(Special Tribune Service.)

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Sept. 18.—War veterans from both north and south are gathering here in considerable numbers for a three days' reunion in observance of the forty-third anniversary of the battle of Chickamauga. While veterans of Wilder's brigade of mounted infantry are most in evidence, numerous other organizations are represented. A unique feature is a reunion of the survivors of the famous Andrew's raid, the daring "raiders" and the equally daring pursuing party who figured in the historic capture of the engine "General" on April 12, 1862, both being represented.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

### BISHOP NICHOLSON TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

On Sunday, September 23, the fifteenth after Trinity, in the coming Ember season, Bishop Nicholson commemorates the thirty-fifth anniversary of his ordination to the diaconate, at Grace church, Baltimore, says the Living Church. Following his ordination the young deacon and priest immediately thereupon served four most happy years of his early ministry at St. Paul's church, Baltimore, under Rev. Dr. Hodges. His health failing, he went then into strictly rural work, continuing four years in active country duty at the Church of Ascension, Westminster, Md. He then became rector of St. Mark's Philadelphia, for twelve years in hard, continuous city duty. For the past fifteen years, the diocese of Milwaukee has been wedded to him—as bishop—"for better and for worse." This record covers his entire thirty-five years' ministry.

On the same Sunday he commemorates the thirty-fourth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood, at St. Paul's, Baltimore, by Bishop Pinckney, then the assistant bishop of Maryland.

Commenting upon these anniversaries, The Living Church says:

"From all over this American church may petitions ascend from many an altar that this noble bishop may, if God so will, be again restored to strength and vigor. He broke down in the Master's service. May it be the Master's will that he be restored to such a measure of health as may enable him to once again go about his diocese; 'or else \* \* \*'. Beyond this we cannot write; but we gladly make his bishop's wish known, and hope that from near and far word may be sent to him, that on his anniversary day both priest and people pleaded the blessed sacrifice with full intention for his restoration to health, if so it be God's will."

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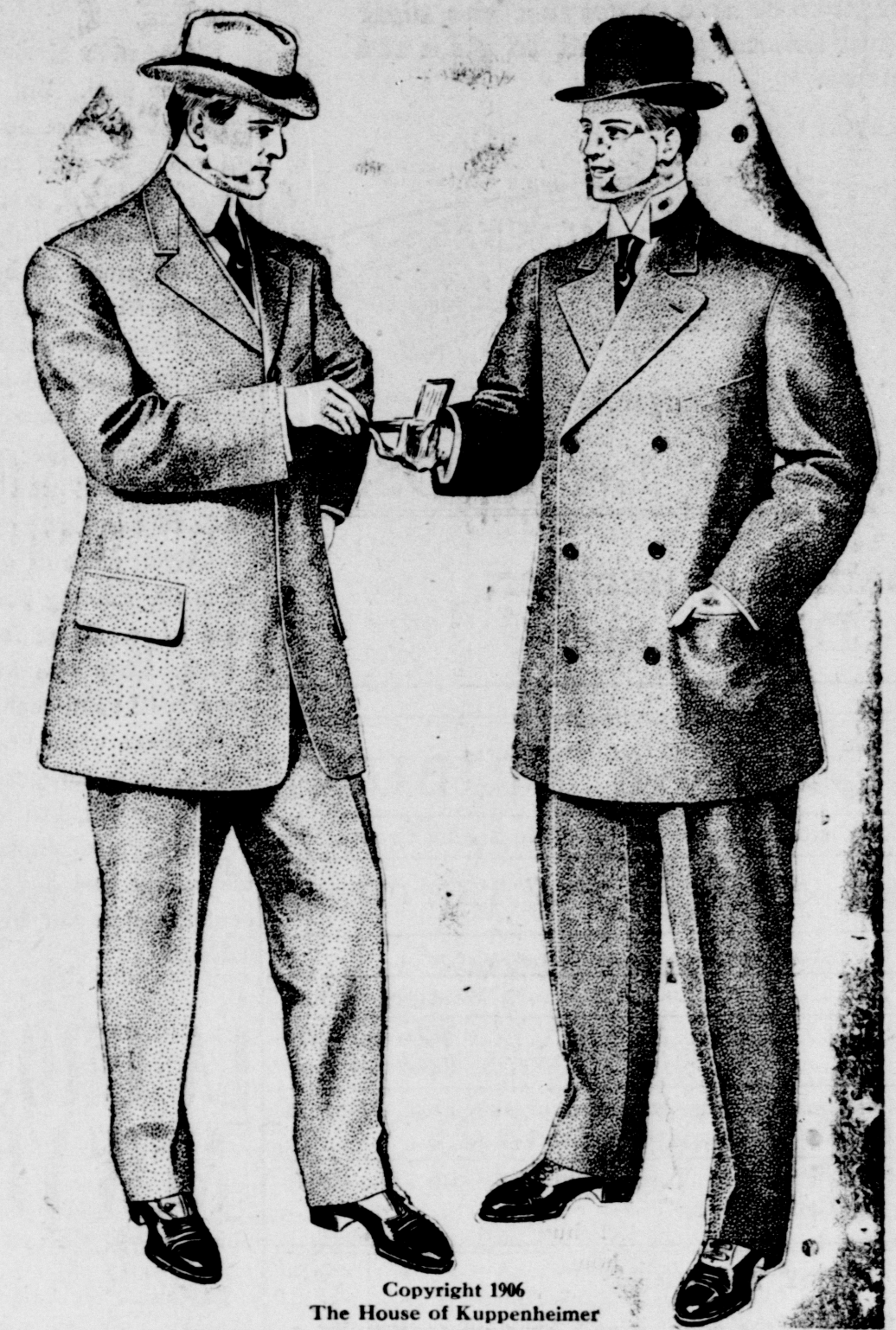
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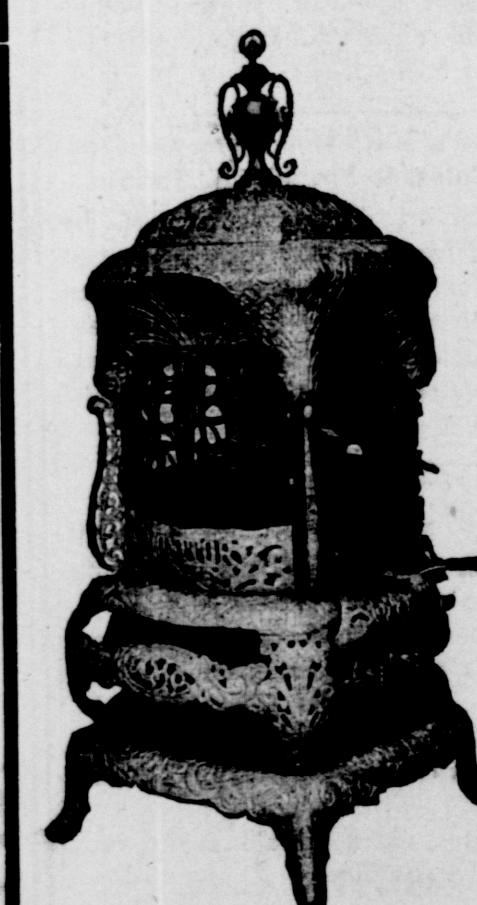
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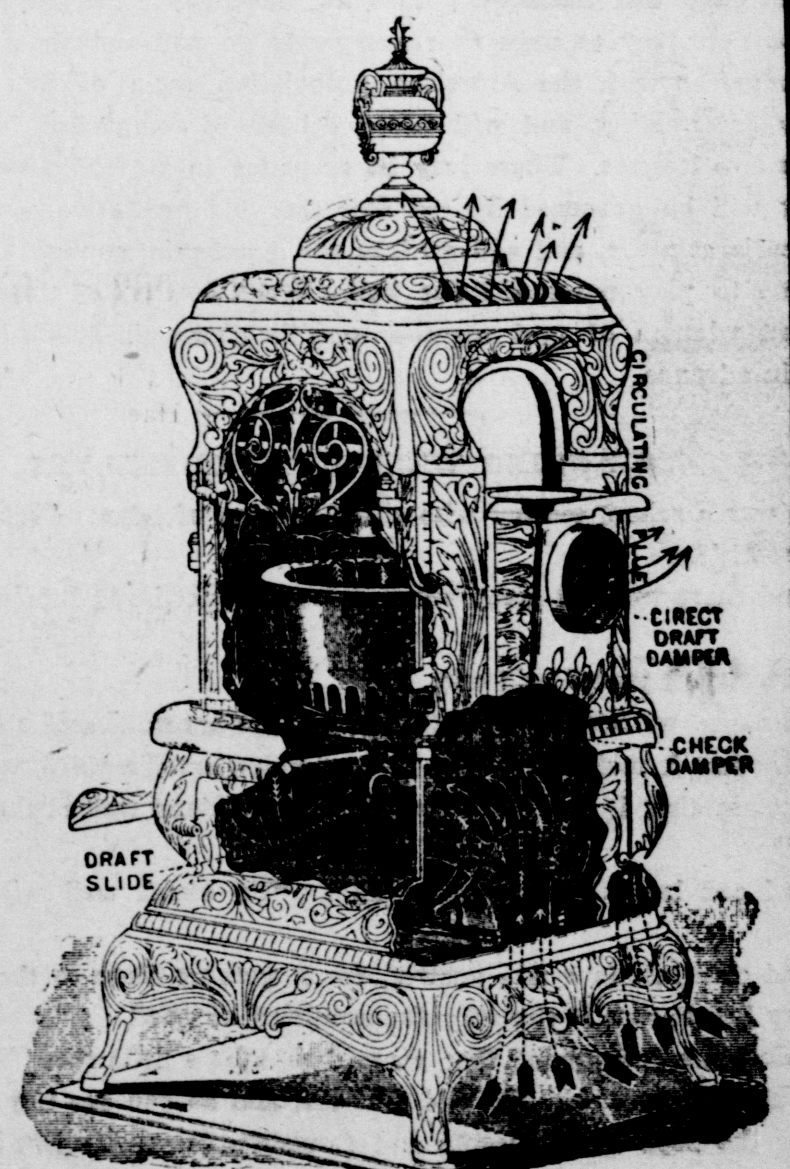
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### JOKE ENDS IN DEATH

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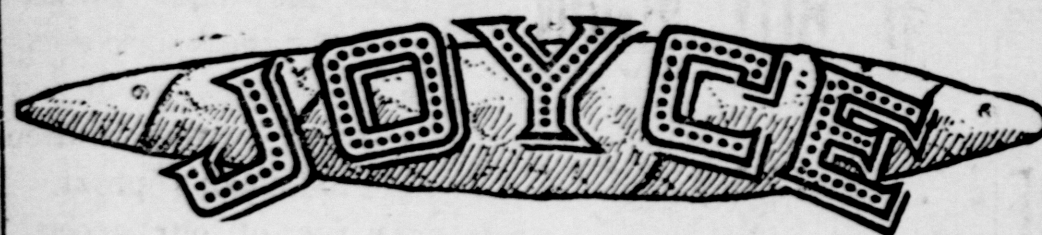
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## WHY WE WON

It is likely that no league in the country will have so spectacular a finish as that just seen in the Wisconsin state league. According to the decision that it is said would have been made concerning the three contested games claimed by Freeport, Saturday's game gave La Crosse the pennant by four-sevenths of one per cent. Eliminating the possibility of one of the games being thrown out, it took the tenth inning of the last game of the schedule to decide the championship.

The Tribune feels that much credit is due the La Crosse aggregation. Manager Hawley played the season out with the same team used during the season, which in contrast with Manager Moriarity's grabbing up of major league players leaves a good impression. To a great extent superior management won in the final struggles. The management of Hawley contrasts favorably to him with that of the Freeport manager. It is said that bad management on the part of the 23-year-old player-manager of our rivals cost Freeport the pennant in the last two games. In Saturday's game, with the score 1 to 2 for La Crosse, Freeport had a man on second and one out. Moriarity, in violation of a cardinal rule, ordered the batter to hit and run instead of sacrificing the runner from second to third. Three flies retired the side with the runner still on second. Had he been squeezed to third he could have scored on a fly and tied the game. Sunday an error exactly the reverse is charged to the Freeporter. In the eighth inning he had three on bases and one gone. He ordered a bunt, whereas the orthodox play is hit and run. The bunt resulted in a triple play, retiring the side.

That is the negative view of how we won the pennant. The fact is La Crosse had the best team, and the best managed team. Both as individual players and in team work our boys were the fastest and steadiest in the league. With a run of five weeks away from home with four crippled players the team played 500 per cent, while Freeport was making hay with a team in prime condition. But the boys stuck to it, and came out in the finish with flying colors. Think of Joe Killian catching every inning of every game in the schedule. The wonderful record of Jones in the box made him just a little the brightest star in the constellation of pitchers of which the city is proud. Our infield was fast and sure. Dodda Cahill made center garden a place of sensations. La Crosse had a ball team, and the supreme test came when the boys kept their heads and won out in the heart of the enemy's country, with the crowd and conditions and maybe the umpire against them. It was a grand finish. The Tribune congratulates President John Elliott and his official associates, Manager Hawley, Captain Bond, and "each and every" player who contributed to this satisfactory conclusion of a prosperous and entertaining baseball year.

Saturday and Sunday's games are benefits for the players. It should not be necessary to urge that everybody go and contribute to the boys. These games with the American Association team of St. Paul will be highly entertaining, and will afford a basis of comparison between teams of the two leagues. There may be surprises in store. Every La Crosse player will be governed by the fact that his reputation with the larger leagues is at stake, and will go into the games in condition and with a purpose to play unimpeachable ball. It will be the last chance to see the pennant winners of 1906 together on the diamond. It will be well to buy seats in advance.

## STANDING WELL WITH OURSELVES

It was a school teacher who asked a class of boys: "Why should we be honest?"

And there were as many answers from bright-faced lads as there were boys.

"Because it pays," said one.

"Because we will be sent to prison if we are not," said a second.

"Because it makes us sleep better," volunteered a third, while a fourth was certain that it was "because we want to stand well in the eyes of the world."

And one lad with a fine face said: "To stand well with ourselves, sir."

And that last is a fine answer, for it gets us close to the mainspring in every breast that is the very fountainhead of good.

Before we talk about that more, let's take a little trip. We can travel fast these days of airships and limiteds, and so can the boys of California and the boys of Minnesota and Louisiana can easily join in a pilgrimage to a stable located in Cincinnati, O. Yes, sir, a trip to a stable, and that just to shake hands with a fine old man who is sponging off a wagon and who is not too busy to give us a hearty handshake.

So here we are introduced to Henry Weidner, as old as your grandfather, for he is 65, and only a few years ago he was president of a great bank.

The cashier, Frank Brown, robbed it of a quarter of a million and ran away to South America, and behind, to bear the burden, was left this old man.

The blow almost killed Henry Weidner. It would almost kill a much younger man. But he stood up under it. He took every dollar in money or property that he had in the world, and every penny his wife had, and turned it over to the depositors, and then, stripped, and only a few years from the grave, started out to earn an honest living at any calling that was honorable.

The world all but forgot the old man until he was found, the other day, working in the stable.

"It is different from sitting in an office and clipping coupons," he said, as he rubbed a dashboard till it shined. "It will all come out right some day. I wanted to die an honest man and so I went to work. I'm working hard for promotion and I'll get it soon."

"To stand well with himself." We are through with our visit and back to our text, boys.

What a lot of good is born of the thing that is in the human breast. It is the starting point. If we are honest it is almost always to satisfy the God in us. Some folks do not call it God. They do not know what to call it. They only know that in each breast something vibrates and makes tenderness, and tears, and smiles, and a desire to be clean and upright. It is there when first the heart beats and it lives till the final stroke, and always it is for good. You can call it conscience, or early training, or what you will, but it is really the divine part of mankind.

So let's remember our visit to Henry Weidner, and in all we do and all we say, and so far as is possible in all we think, be governed by the something in our breasts that makes us want to "stand well with ourselves."

LA CROSSE JEWS OBSERVE  
NEW YEAR TOMORROW EVE.

La Crosse Hebrews will observe the beginning of the Jewish new year, 5667, the services beginning at sundown tomorrow night in the two synagogues, 411 North Eleventh street, and on South Fourth street, between Cass and Division streets. Elaborate programs have been prepared for the observance of the year in each synagogue.

The new year ushers in the penitential period which concludes on the Day of Atonement, Sept. 29, the Hebrew terms being Rosh Hashanah for the first day of the new year and Yom Kippur for the final Day of Atonement.

The morning new year service lasts from four to six hours and on the Day of Atonement the services continue throughout the day, some of the strict orthodox members of the Jewish faith remaining in the temple from the eve of the Day of Atonement till sundown on the following day. It is a day of fasting for all persons over the age of 13 years.

Eight days of holiday, known as the Feast of Tabernacle, follow the Day of Atonement after an interval of four days. These holidays are less religious in character and are celebrated with feasting and rejoicing.

RETURN AFTER WALKING  
TO ST. PAUL

Henry Rennebohm and Robert Schuld, two office employees of the John Gund Brewing company have returned home from the Twin Cities, to which place they walked some time ago. They are as brown as Indians.

They started from La Crosse on Saturday, Sept. 1, and arrived there Wednesday morning, Sept. 5.

Saturday afternoon they left La Crosse via the C. M. & St. P. tracks to Winona, where they stopped the first night, proceeding from there the following morning at 5 o'clock, making Wabasha, thirty-three miles, that night. Monday evening they reached Red Wing and Tuesday afternoon they made Hastings, where they spent some time, reaching South St. Paul at 11 a. m. Wednesday. Here they boarded an interurban car and went to Minneapolis. They saw Dan Patch lower his record and both have several interesting incidents to tell of, experienced by them enroute.

JENSON BANKRUPTCY  
HEARING SEPT. 28

Referee in Bankruptcy C. L. Baldwin has appointed Sept. 28 for a meeting of the creditors of Martin Jenson, proprietor of the Ida house at Sparta. Jenson went into bankruptcy some weeks ago, the petition being received by Referee Prentiss.

SENDS OFFICIAL  
COUNT OF VOTES

County Clerk Rawlinson is preparing to send the official count in the primary election to H. H. Manson, chairman of the democratic state central committee, and W. D. Connor, chairman of the republican state central committee.

The law provides that these men receive a duplicate copy of the report of the official count.

Very Low Rates to Buffalo, N. Y., Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip Oct. 10 to 12, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of International Christian convention. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

CHARGED WITH MAKING A  
ROW AT BIJOU

William Harper was arraigned before Police Justice Hunt this morning on complaint of Al Schuberg, manager of the Bijou theater. The vaudeville man charged Harper with creating a disturbance in the theater Monday afternoon.

Judge Hunt continued the case until Sept. 22 when the trial will be held.

EARLY ESTATE IS  
BEING SETTLED

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Sept. 18.—The estate of Henry W. Early has been settled after having been in the courts for over twelve years. It consists of about 11,000 acres of land in Chippewa, Taylor, Rusk and Sawyer counties, and also lots in Elizabeth, N. J., and is equally divided between the two surviving children, George B. Early and Miss Maude A. Early, now of Long Beach, Cal. Henry W. Early, who died March 24, 1893, was one of the richest and most prominent lumbermen of northern Wisconsin, and was well known throughout Wisconsin.

Very Low Rates to New Orleans, La., Via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold Oct. 11 to 14, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of K. P. supreme lodge. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Very Low Excursion Rates to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, Via the North-Western Line, will be in effect from all stations, Sept. 19 to 22, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of Pike's Peak centennial celebration. For full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

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## JUST LIFE



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Steps should be taken to keep the bats out of the theater.

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## The Knocker

There are those who will sneer at our labors.

There's no one so wise as they. We never have found one who did much himself.

But maybe he will, some day.

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## The Nasty Thing

Please state the following lines in your paper.

A certain North Side lady tried to pick on another party here a short time ago but soon found out she was beaten and didn't have a thing left for her trouble. When the explanation was made the party was fully satisfied that the defendant had done nothing but the fair thing and said he had every reason in the world to believe their words true.

Plaintiff will kindly be asked to stay at home and attend her own business as the other party says they don't wish her company whatever and also states their reputation is much ahead of hers. Defendants say they will take care of themselves and are able to stay out of other people's woodsheds.

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All La Crosse is going to see the champs wallop the St. Paul American association bunch next Saturday and Sunday.

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Michael Dunn, Milwaukee bribe taker, has been pardoned.

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The way the "Umpire" audience cheered the champs last night shows that La Crosse is a baseball town worthy the pennant.

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Believing himself John D., a lunatic poured oil upon himself and started to smoke his pipe. He may recover.

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And there are some of the Arm and Hammer brand who are knocking the baseball team.

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Bryan thinks Rusevelt is buttin' in in the Cuban situation. Somebody recently had this idea about our spelling.

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Teddy again has offered Taft a seat on the supreme bench, and the secretary has turned it down saying he wants to be president. Seems Taft better take a good thing while he has a chance.

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## Cabbage Beats French Chef

An amusing story is going the rounds among the friends of Charles

M. Schwab regarding a Lucullan feast, at which Mr. Schwab was host, in the historic and picturesque forest of Fontainebleau, outside of Paris.

One night last summer Mr. Schwab, so the story goes, was at a table in a famous Parisian cafe conversing with a number of American friends regarding the superiority of French cooking and the lack of enthusiasm for epicurian dishes among his own countrymen.

There was a protest. Each man declared himself as a past master epicure.

"Lucullus sups or lunches with Lucullus Schwab," a member of the party suggested.

"It's a go, then," said the millionaire. "I'll see that there'll be epicurean food a-plenty, and in order to whet your appetites I'll have my luncheon within motoring distance of the Ritz—out of the city, somewhere."

Mr. Schwab sought the services of W. K. Vanderbilt's "highest priced chef in the world."

"Give it," said the Vanderbilt chef, "out in the open—under the trees, say in the forest of Fontainebleau."

Chef Joseph made the arrangements for a most wonderful spread to forty steel trust magnates and Wall street millionaires. The forty waiters and assistants began to eat their luncheon before the tables were set, because the coming feast was to be long and elaborate. Spread before them were steaming platters of corned beef and cabbage.

"By jove, that cabbage smells good," said one early guest.

"Let's go it, boys," added another.

The servants arose in confusion.

"But Mr. Schwab has a wonderful luncheon prepared for you; it will be ready at 1 o'clock, the hour named upon your invitation," Joseph protested.

"Oh, me for the corned beef—you fellows can have the truffles," broke in a guest.

Mr. Schwab was dismayed to see his guests devouring corned beef and cabbage.

"Well," said he, as he joined them, "you have all gone back with gusto to your native diet up in the foothills of your ancestors."

—W. V. K.

## FIGHT SUNDAY MORNING

Perhaps as a cause to go to church and repent, Gustave Tonke and John Bicha engaged in a fight at Bohemian hall early Sunday morning. Yesterday morning they were arraigned before Police Justice Hunt and fined \$2 and costs each.

## CHILD DIES

Grace, the 1-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Peters, 916 Mississippi street, died Saturday. The remains were shipped to Sparta for interment yesterday.

## GRAIN MONOPOLISTS UP

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—The interstate commerce commission heard the argument of the Peavey elevator company charged with receiving rebates from the Union Pacific which enabled it to maintain a practical monopoly of the grain business in Omaha and Kansas City.

## NOTABLE BIRTHDAYS.

## Dr. Walter Courtney.

Dr. Walter Courtney, chief surgeon of the Northern Pacific Railway since 1888, was born in Lambton county, Ontario, Sept. 18, 1855. He was educated at the local public schools, Strathroy Collegiate Institute and the University of Michigan. Dr. Courtney is one of the most eminent members of his profession in the north-west. He is a former president of the Minnesota State Medical society, a member of the American Medical association, the International Association of Railway Surgeons and a number of other medical organizations. He has served as president of the Upper Mississippi Medical society and has been given an honorary membership in the North Dakota State Medical society.

## THIS DATE IN HISTORY

1709—Samuel Johnson, famous English writer born. Died Dec. 13, 1784.

1811—Dutch surrendered island of Java to the British.

1830—William Hazlitt, English author, died. Born April 10, 1778.

1884—Henry C. Ide, governor of the Philippines, born.

1858—Henry Churchill King, president of Oberlin College, born.

1861—Maryland legislature closed by provost marshal; secession members sent to Fort Henry.

1862—Confederates recrossed Potomac into Virginia, having been in Maryland two weeks.

1867—Fenians attacked a prison van in Manchester.

1868—Gen. Hindman assassinated at Helena, Arkansas.

1890—Dion Bouicault, actor, died. Born Dec. 26, 1822.

1897—Son born to Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, who was Consuelo Vanderbilt.

1905—Czar proposed a second peace conference at The Hague.

## SNAPPY READING

Ellis Parker Butler opens Young's Magazine for October with a novelette entitled "For Bill's Sake." Mr. Butler, whose story "Pigs is Pigs" placed him among the leading magazine writers a few months ago, is hailed as the rising American humorist, and the story in this month's Young's is about as funny as anything he has written. Bill, the village grocery clerk is in love with a hundred-thousand-dollar heiress, and the heiress, contrary to precedent, is in love with Bill. But Bill has principles and refuses to wed until he can offer the heiress a great fortune as large as her own, toward which end he begins saving on a ten dollar per week salary. At this point his friend Jim, "the creamery man," drops in and seeing how matters stand, proceeds to enrich Bill by dabbling in "high finance." The sturdy but laughable philosophy of Bill on money and love matches, Jim's observations on high finance and the nonchalance with which he turns from butter making to dabbling in stocks, and then back again to butter—lest he lose his job—are given with a whimsical humor that will make the reader gurggle with delight.



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## This week will end the Michigan Peaches JOHN C. BURNS FRUIT HOUSE.

## FORMER N. S. PASTOR TO SUCCEED HENRY GOODSSELL

**W. W. Hurd, Now at Mineral Point,  
is Called to West Ave. Church; Rev.  
Wood Comes and Irish Stays**

The Rev. J. W. Irish, pastor of the King street Methodist Episcopal church, is the only pastor returned to his pulpit by the west Wisconsin conference of the church, now in session at Dodgeville, Wis. The vacancies in La Crosse churches, caused by resignations, also are filled by the conference.

The Rev. W. Hurd, Mineral Point, Wis., will succeed the Rev. Henry Goodsell, resigned pastor of the West Avenue Methodist Episcopal church.

Fifteen years ago Rev. Hurd was pastor of the Caledonia Street Methodist Episcopal church, North side.

Rev. Goodsell requested his release that he might go to California to reside for the winter and perhaps for the remainder of his life. The congregation passed resolutions, requesting his stay. The Rev. W. H. Vance, presiding elder of the district, heeded the call of Mr. Goodsell and did not return him.

The Caledonia Street Methodist Episcopal church pulpit will be filled by the Rev. A. L. Wood, Richland Center, Wis. The Rev. Wentworth also plans a residence in California.

### District Appointments

The complete list of appointments

### MUCH CHEAPER

Grape-Nuts Accomplished What Ocean Travel and Medicine Could Not.

It's not what you eat, but what you digest that gives strength.

Many a man drags around year after year half dead, because his food is not digested and he takes first one kind of medicine and then another without relief—because medicines cannot take the place of well-digested food, and never will.

Give nature a fair chance, as a prominent German-American of Chicago did, and if you're in a bad fix from stomach trouble, read what he says and try it on.

"About a year ago," he writes, "I was afflicted with stomach trouble which so enfeebled me I had to quit work. I grew so lean I was merely skin and bones."

"I had the advice of six different doctors and two college professors. One thought I had cancer of the stomach, another advised a change of climate, and recommended ocean travel. I decided to follow this last and went abroad for three months."

"But my health became worse and worse. The least amount of food caused me awful pain, and I obtained relief only by having my stomach pumped out."

"Nothing did me any good. Soon I could take no food at all except strained oat meal, then a time came when I could not even take that. I lost courage and prepared myself to die. At that time my wife brought me a package of Grape-Nuts, but I had no confidence in anything any longer."

"She finally persuaded me to taste a few spoonfuls of the new food and to my surprise I retained it and had no distress. That made me feel fine and encouraged to make another trial for life. For several months I ate nothing else—every day a bowl of Grape-Nuts with cream, and thus I regained my health, my old-time weight and am now as well as ever. I could not live without Grape-Nuts." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason." Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

and changes in the La Crosse district follows:

W. H. Vance, presiding elder; Arcadia, J. T. Kneen; Black River Falls, W. F. Emery; De Soto, to be supplied; Eleve, L. R. Leake; Elroy, E. L. Cooper; Fairchild, F. J. Bryan; Galesville, to be supplied; Humbird, B. C. Sills; Ironton, J. C. Du Val; Kendall and Glendale, F. G. Boylan; La Crosse, Caledonia street, A. L. Wood; La Crosse, First church, J. W. Irish; La Crosse, West avenue, W. W. Hurd; La Grange, S. A. Hoffman; Mauston, W. G. Jones; Melrose, J. H. McManus; Merrillan, E. D. Upson; Modena, to be supplied; Mondovi, G. H. Kershaw; Necedah, R. A. Atkins; Neillsville, W. P. Burrows; New Lisbon, L. E. Hoisington; New Rome, J. T. Bryan; Newton, J. B. Braddock; Onalaska, C. L. Hocking; Pittsville, to be supplied; Reedsburg, J. E. Kundert; Rockland, E. E. Horth; Sechler, J. H. Daniel; Sparta, L. A. Brenner; Springfield, to be supplied; Tomah, William Atkinson; Trempealeau, R. C. Russell; Valley Junction, to be supplied; Viroqua, C. E. Butters; Wilton and Norwalk, A. B. Scoville; Whitehall, Charles G. Goman; Wonegan, C. R. Bearmore.

Parties desiring to make entries at the La Crosse Interstate fair are requested to do so this week in order to avoid the great rush on Monday at the fair grounds. Leave your entries at once with W. J. Fries, Fourth and Pearl street.

Avoid serious results of kidney or bladder disorder by taking Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by O. T. Erhart. Wanted—A boy at the La Crosse News company.

The Twentieth Century was entertained by Mrs. D. S. Law, 435 South Fourth street, yesterday afternoon. The Ladies' Aid society of the English Lutheran church will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. Scheufler.

Mat Newburg of the firm of M. & C. Newburg, will leave this evening for Chicago on a business trip.

## HIGH DEGREE MASONS MEET

(Special Tribune Service.)

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 18.—The annual session of the Supreme Council Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Masons for the Northern Masonic jurisdiction of the United States began in Masonic Temple today. This comprises all the New England States, New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin. The rest of the country is within the Southern jurisdiction which is an independent, but affiliated body. The initial session was devoted to the opening and preliminary work, routine business and the presentation of the address of the sovereign grand commander, Henry L. Palmer of Milwaukee. Tonight the thirty-third degree is to be conferred on the candidates elected last year, this being the most important feature of the meeting. The session will continue over tomorrow.

## ON THE PUGILISTIC CALENDAR

Steve Kinney vs. Joe Galligan, 15 rounds at Davenport, Iowa.

"Kid" Goodman vs. Aurelia Herrera 15 rounds at Chelsea, Mass. (Declared off.)

## VETERANS AT ANNISTON

(Special Tribune Service.)

ANNISTON, Ala., Sept. 18.—The business streets of Anniston were gay with flags and bunting today in honor of the Confederate veterans of Northwestern Alabama, whose annual reunion is in progress. The visitors assembled at the court house at 10 o'clock this morning, where they were addressed by Hon. S. J. Bowie and others. Tomorrow will be the big day of the reunion, when a parade and barbecue will be among the features of the program.

## CITY NEWS

BEST AUTOMOBILE BATTERIES AT ELECTRIC SUPPLY & CONST. CO., 227 MAIN STREET.

Mrs. McAllen of McAllen & Co., left for Chicago last night to attend to the fall openings.

Wiring. The Heavy Light Man. Mrs. Alfred Millington will entertain at a reception this afternoon.

Go to Stam's new studio for your photographs. Reduced rates for fall week. 124 South Fifth street.

Wanted—Men at the bottling department. Good wages. John Gund Brewing company. Apply at once.

Horace Dodd, clerk of the Hotel Stoddard, is at Eureka Springs, Ark., for the benefit of his health.

We do safe wiring. Electric Supply & Const. Co., 227 Main.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes the diseased kidneys sound so they will eliminate the poisons from the blood. Sold by O. T. Erhart.

Mrs. J. J. Esch is the guest of friends of friends and relatives in Tomah.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

J. W. Bryant has returned from a trip to Prairie du Chien.

Dr. W. Powell, disease of women. Fine electric fixtures. A. O. Colby.

Thomas Devine is home from Tomah after a short business trip.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women. Miss Emma Grottenburg, who has been visiting friends at Janesboro, is home.

Dr. Bradford's offices in the Barron building are nearly completed and after Tuesday the doctor will be in the office as usual.

Foley's Honey and Tar is peculiarly adapted for chronic throat troubles and will positively cure bronchitis, hoarseness and all bronchial diseases. Refuse substitutes. Sold by O. T. Erhart.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rowley, Viroqua, are spending a few days with friends in La Crosse.

Sale of space in buildings, concessions and privileges on grounds will be sold at the fair grounds Friday, Sept. 21, 2 p. m.

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## FREE NOW!

GRAY'S YERBA SANTA, the guaranteed cure for ALL COUGHS! Get a bottle, use half, if not relieved, I will smilingly return your money, such faith have I in this remarkable cure for Coughs.

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CHAS. BEYSCHLAG, DRUGGIST, 503 MAIN ST.

Miss Alice Wheeler is home from a visit at Viroqua.

Miss Grace Edwards has returned to Milwaukee where she is attending the Knowlton Training school for misses, after spending her vacation of two weeks with her mother in this city.

Richard Gunn of this city left yesterday for Dubuque where he has accepted a position in the offices of the Milwaukee road.

Senor Arnoldo's wild west show has been secured for the Interstate fair. The show will be run on the pike by the association.

High water temporarily has spoiled duck hunting, say many local sportsmen; during the lull hunters are posting themselves on the law.

John Williams and wife have returned from a honeymoon trip to Chicago and Milwaukee and settled down to housekeeping.

Mrs. E. L. Boley has as her guests at her home, 502 South Seventh street, her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boley.

A large class was confirmed by Bishop Schwebach at Tomah Sunday.

The Eighth Ward Aid society will hold its picnic next Sunday, postponing it one week because of rain.

Mrs. H. M. Smith, Rushford, Minn., is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Will Batchelder for a few days.

Very Low Rates to Reunion of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold Oct. 14 to 16, inclusive, with favorable return limits. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

## NOT HIRED TO FIGHT DIETZ

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Sept. 18.—Officers of the Mississippi River Log company deny the truthfulness of dispatches from Black River Falls stating that Oliver Darwin has been called here to assist in settling the trouble between the company and John F. Dietz at the Thornapple dam.

He was here on Saturday but officers of the company say he had no interview with them and that they do not know what his mission was.

"We do not know whether Darwin has volunteered his services to Governor Davidson to settle the trouble, but I know our company has nothing to do with Darwin. It is ridiculous to think that a private citizen like Darwin can settle the Dietz trouble," said a company officer. "Dietz is charged with assault with attempt to commit murder."

"Darwin was here a month ago asking our company to pay his expenses to go up to see Dietz but was refused, and we thought this settled the matter."

## DEPOT DESTROYED BY ELECTRIC BOLT

POYNETTE, Wis., Sept. 18.—During a severe electric storm here last evening lightning struck the Milwaukee road depot, burning it to the ground. A large amount of freight was burned. Miss Grace Eagan lost her trunk with all its valuable contents.

## \$1000.00

Reward for a trace of adulteration in CALIFORNIA SYLMAR OLIVE OIL! I get it direct from Los Angeles, California, from the Olive Growers and sell it at their own price.

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## JULIUS LUEDKE CROSSES DIVIDE

Julius Luedke, aged 27, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Luedke, died at his home, 1412 South Ninth street, this morning about 7 o'clock, after a lingering illness with tuberculosis. He was employed by the Heileman Brewing company until he was unable to work longer on account of the progress of the disease which today caused his death. Deceased was born in La Crosse.

He leaves a mother, father, four brothers and three sisters.

The funeral will be held from the residence at 2:30 Thursday afternoon. Frank Tillman in charge.

## GIRL ARRESTED FOR THEFT

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., Sept. 18.—Miss Ruth Reiter was arrested here on complaint of a Minneapolis newspaper man. She was in Minneapolis during the state fair and in company with the man visited a beer garden. Here he showed her a diamond pin valued at \$500 fastened under his coat near the armhole. When the young man got back to his office he found the pin gone. Miss Reiter was examined by the district attorney today but stoutly denied the charge of guilt. The Minneapolis man will demand that Miss Reiter be taken to Minneapolis and will ask the governor for a requisition.

### 3,000 STRIKE IN SYMPATHY

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)  
WINNIPEG, Sept. 18.—Three thousand workmen of the builder's trades are striking in sympathy with the plumbers whose bosses refuse arbitration.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

The New York Steam Dye Works are now located in their new building, No. 516 State St., opposite City Hall, and are prepared to do all kinds of DRY CLEANING AND FANCY DYEING of Ladies' and Gent's Garments. Delicate fabrics and elaborate Gowns that require the more careful treatment can be left in our hands with the assurance that their original freshness will be restored without injury. The service that we offer is the result of over a quarter of a century of experience. A large and carefully planned equipment fitted with the only complete machines and apparatus in the city for this line of work, and only skilled employees are entrusted with the work. Therefore can say, for reliability, promptness and systematic handling of orders the service we offer is the same as in New York City, which commends itself to those who appreciate such qualities. NEW YORK STEAM DYE WORKS, No. 516 State St., Opposite City Hall.

## GREEK HERB MIXER WOULD MAKE J. D. BOY AGAIN

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—If Dr. Christo Zachos of Greece has his way, John D. Rockefeller will be as spry as a 2-year-old within the next few days, will have a stomach which will give him no more bother, and will be so happy that he won't know himself. And all because this great healer, who uses nothing but herbs, has come all the way from Greece to treat the Standard Oil magnate, provided the multi-millionaire will permit it, and make a new man out of him. Dr. Zachos has high hopes that Mr. Rockefeller will grant him permission to treat him, and if he does the doctor says he will be cured of all his ailments in eight days. Zachos says he is not after money, as he is independently wealthy, but wishes to let the world know of his wonderful power of curing. The Greek doctor, accompanied by his companion, Mr. Carrell, and Mr. Booras, called at the Standard Oil office, 26 Broadway, in order to see John D., as the Greek healer calls the magnate. When they had made known their business, the man in charge shook his hand. But Mr. Booras said that the doctor had come especially from Greece to make the money king as young as he used to be. Then the gentleman became interested and took them to room 140 on the fourteenth floor where Mr. Rockefeller's assistant told them to make out a statement in English which he would give to Dr. Biggar, Mr. Rockefeller's physician. The Greek doctor has prepared his statement and will submit it in a day or so.

### Very Low Rates to Dallas, Tex.,

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold Oct. 6 and 7, with favorable return limits, on account International Association Fire Engineers. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

## KILLED WHILE CROSSING RAILROAD TRACKS

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 18.—While crossing the railway tracks near his father's plant yesterday noon Walter Poppert, son of George Poppert, president of the Gorge Poppert Manufacturing company at North Milwaukee, was struck and instantly killed by a Milwaukee road freight engine.

Poppert was employed as a carpenter in his father's factory and was in the habit of going home for lunch. Shortly before 12 o'clock he left the plant and walked to the Milwaukee tracks, near by. At this point two tracks run parallel with the building. As Poppert neared the first he saw a freight train approaching and hurried to cross before it reached him.

At the same time a freight engine was coming toward him in the opposite direction on the second track. Poppert, in his anxiety to cross the first track, did not notice the other switch engine but stopped on the second track directly in front of the engine.

The young man was hurled fully twenty feet and when picked up was unconscious and in a dying condition. Medical aid was quickly summoned, but before it could reach him he had died. The body was removed to the Weiland undertaking establishment. An inquest will be held today.

### CHILI'S FOURTH OF JULY

(Tribune Special Service.)

SANTIAGO, Chili, Sept. 18.—The anniversary of the declaration of Chilean independence was observed today. The celebrations were naturally curtailed in Santiago, Valparaiso, and other points that suffered most by the recent earthquake, but in other parts of the republic the usual festivities were held in commemoration of the anniversary.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

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Dueber-Hampden 16 size, thin model 20 year gold filled case, finest engraving, nickel movement, Ruby jeweled, Brequet spring, Chronometer balance wheel, reduced from \$20.00 to..... \$12.50

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## EYE EXAMINATION ROLLS ENGINEERS

BURLINGTON SYSTEM THREATENED WITH GENERAL STRIKE

Drastic Rule Operates to Place Many Old and Skilled Engine Drivers on Unimportant and Unremunerative Runs

## J. J. Hill Appealed to to Have Obnoxious Order Rescinded

The effect of the order was so sweeping that Grand Chief Warren S. Stone of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers at midnight telegraphed James J. Hill at St. Paul requesting an immediate conference.

"Many railroads for years have enforced rules requiring a rigid physical examination," said Vice Grand Master Cadle of the engineers' brotherhood, "but the Burlington regulation is extreme in that it practically debar from service men whose vision is slightly imperfect."

The rule in question pertains to engineers and establishes a standard for eyesight said to be more rigid than any thus far enforced by the railroads of this country. It will necessitate more care upon the part of those starting in the railroad service to see that they do not abuse the eyes and suffer them to strain by reading, etc., in poor light. The use of glasses on such occasions will be the means of promoting healthy and strong eyes. Few people realize the importance of the care of their eyes in this day and age and weak eyes are the result when they become middle aged. The effect of the new Burlington rule, it is asserted will be practically to fix an age limit for railroad employees.

A large per cent of railroad men are obliged to adopt glasses as an aid to vision after they have reached middle life, to enable them to read with comfort, but do not use them in running. The early use of glasses for running purposes only tends to keep the distance sight perfect in old age. Glasses for this purpose must be perfect in every way and care exercised in their adoption for your eyes. We know of no better man than H. C. Evenson, the eyesight specialist, at the Park store.

## THEOSOPHIST, NO SAYS GAGE

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 18.—"I am not a theosophist." So said Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury, at his home on the heights of Point Loma. "It seems good to away from contact with men and to be surrounded only by trees and flowers and my own people," he said, with an air of such serenity it was evident he was contented.

"They say I am a theosophist, a deep student of astronomy, that I am a dealer in the black art and I know not what else," Mr. Gage continued. "I am not a theosophist to begin with. I bought this home of mine from Katherine Tingley, exchanging with her some land I owned in another part Point Loma. This is the extent of my affiliations with theosophy."

"I think the theosophists I have met are among the best people in the world. I also think their raja yoga school system is the best. But I have no intention of becoming a theosophist. Still, I cannot say what my actions tomorrow will be."

"If I have forsaken the world with its struggles and cares for this life, which I may lead only for a while, or until the end, there is certainly a reward in the plain living and high thinking and the peace that comes to one here."

"The world of business and politics with its systems and machinery and complexities, is largely artificial. It was produced by man and the greater part of it is due to the evil in man, his greed and infirmities. But it must be admitted that I am near to nature here," he said, sweeping his hand outward toward the magnificent scenery.

"Whether it is I who am leading the same life or the man being whirled in the vortex of the money life doesn't matter; at least I am contented."

"I have my garden, and it is largely the product of my own labor. I have grown vegetables, pumpkins, melons and fruits, and have studied terrestrial rather than astral things."

## MILLIONS SPENT IN NEW KLONDIKE GOLD RUSH

DAWSON CITY, Sept. 18.—There is more excitement over dredging here at present than there has been over anything since the earliest days. The whole Klondike population is mad over dredging, and stampedes have occurred almost every day and night for weeks.

Phenomenal success has been attained by the Bear Creek dredge, and that at the mouth of the Klondike river. As quickly as possible, every available creek is being staked. Millions of dollars are being invested, and it is believed the output of 1907 will more than double the best year on record.

The arrival of the Guggenheims of New York as well as other capitalists whose names are household words has infused new life into Dawson City and everyone is talking in millions.

## SUICIDE SET FIRE TO HIMSELF

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 18.—After pouring a quart of kerosene over his head and shoulders, Peter Lehr, a cement contractor in Wilmette, set fire to his clothing yesterday in an attempt to kill himself. The act was committed almost before the eyes of his wife and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Joseph Lehr, who, with the assistance of neighbors, succeeded in extinguishing the flames. Lehr may recover.

He was unconscious for some time and refused to explain his act. It was thought he was demented, for it was found that he had set fire to the shed in which he poured the oil on himself. Previously it was feared he would kill himself and all weapons in the house had been concealed.

Feet swollen to immense size. "I had kidney trouble so bad that I could not work," says J. J. Cox of Valley View, Ky., "my feet were swollen to immense size and I was confined to my bed and physicians were unable to give me any relief. My doctor finally prescribed Foley's Kidney Cure which made a well-man of me." Sold by O. T. Erhart.

Tribune want ads. are never-failing.

## GOOD POTATO CROP IS PROMISED

From present indications, there will be plenty of potatoes for every one this year, and potatoes of good quality. It is still a little early to figure on the crop, but everything points to an excellent yield. According to one of the commission men, the crop will be good, but nothing out of the ordinary, simply a substantial yield that will do away with the famine talk and result in reasonable prices.

Some time must elapse, however, before the potato crop is a certainty as last year about this time the crop had every appearance of being a bumper one, but later the rot set in with disastrous results. So far the year has been a good potato year, and the commission men are not anticipating anything of an alarming nature.

The fall fruit yield was never better, the crop being unusually large, and of excellent quality. One of the dealers said yesterday that it has been many years since the prospects were better. The apple yield is excellent, the fruit being solid and hardy and in great abundance. The early fall stock is already on the market. Grapes are also good this year. The berry yield was not quite so good as it might have been and as a result many housewives were obliged to forego their canning sessions.

The vegetable supply still keeps up and, according to the "street" will continue to do so unless the cold weather arrives ahead of time. Taken as a whole the prospects are very good for the coming winter, and if the present state of affairs continues there will be no cause for skyrocket prices.

Reports from California and other Southern states have it that the fruit crop is a top-notch and that the orange and lemon yield has seldom been better. California figs are also showing up well, the general conditions resulting in decidedly encouraging prospects in all sections.

## PROFLIGATE SON OF NEWPORT SOCIETY LEADER THIEF

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 18.—As the fashionable season closes society is holding its breath awaiting the breaking of a new scandal. A thief has been terrorizing the community for three months. He is said to be the son of a prominent society woman.

Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish is about the only victim who has not agreed to keep his identity secret. All that restrains her from prosecuting the man is a slight doubt that he is the person who actually took her property.

Once rich himself, the son of a woman divorced and married again and still rich in her own right, the man, young, handsome, and a "good fellow," goes his way, comes to the Casino and exchanges greetings with those who more than suspect that he is the thief. He appears at various functions, and is greeted with that degree of civility which Newport knows so well how to extend to persons who are "in abeyance," as it were.

His mother, still a powerful social factor, has an inkling of her son's plight and she has caused to be spread broadcast the intimation that anyone taking the first step against him will have a fight on hand.

## Doctors Could not help her.

"I had kidney trouble for years," writes Mrs. Raymond Conner of Shelton, Wash., "and the doctors could not help me. I tried Foley's Kidney Cure, and the very first dose gave me relief and I am now cured. I cannot say too much for Foley's Kidney Cure." Sold by O. T. Erhart.

## BRYAN IN CAROLINA

(Tribune Special Service.)

RALEIGH, N. C., Sept. 18.—William J. Bryan's itinerary provides for another busy day in North Carolina today. He began the day with an address at Winston this morning, where a considerable crowd turned out and gave him an enthusiastic greeting. From Winston he proceeded to Greensboro and thence to Salisbury, at both of which points he was slated for speeches. Concord and Charlotte are the points scheduled for this evening. Tomorrow Mr. Bryan will proceed into South Carolina, Columbia being his first stopping place.

## S.S.S. HEALS OLD SORES

Every old sore exists because of a polluted condition of the blood. This vital fluid is infected with some germ or old taint, or perhaps has been left in an unhealthy condition from a long spell of sickness, or the trouble may be inherited. The poisonous germs and matter with which the blood is saturated force an outlet on the face, arms, legs or other part of the body and form a sore or ulcer. This being continually fed by a polluted blood supply, grows red and angry, festers and eats into the surrounding flesh until it becomes what is very aptly termed an "old sore." The relief produced by external treatment is only temporary. The only treatment that can do any real good is a blood purifier that goes to the very root of the trouble and removes the cause, and for this purpose nothing equals S. S. S. It drives out from the circulation all morbid matter and germs, even reaching down to hereditary taints, and by cleansing the blood heals old sores permanently. S. S. S. not only removes all taints and poisons from the blood but builds it up by supplying it with the rich, health-sustaining properties it needs to keep the system in health. S. S. S. makes pure blood and a sore must heal if the blood is pure and healthy. Book on Sores and Ulcers and medical advice free

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W. A. Finney, San Antonio, Texas, operates the **Photo-Postal Card Concession,** where you can have your best girl's photo taken.

M. M. Pruden, Chicago, Ill. will transform beautiful **"Galatea" from Life to a Marble Statue.**

See Harry Chester with his **Marvelous Troup of Hindo Magicians**

Take your children or Sweetheart on the **Merry-go-round of Lawrence House.**

You can be entertained at the **Electric Theatre of Lavalley & Michwyski.**

Do not fail to see the **Lifeorama of the San Francisco Earthquake and Destruction of the city by Fire** under the black tent Halton Powell.

One of the Stellar attractions will be **Captain Louis Sorcho with his Deep Sea Divers**

For gentle sea breezes take a ride on the **Ocean Wave**

The Association has especially arranged for the putting on of the **Trained Animal Show of Senor Arnaldo**

He exhibits Jaguars, Panthers and Leopards and the performances of these animals will astonish you. The Association is fortunate to have booked Arnaldo's Trained Animal Show as he has a six weeks' engagement at Madison Square Garden, New York, following our Fair.

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### HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Twenty girls for stripping tobacco by the pound. Good wages. P. & W. Cigar company.

WANTED—Girls at the La Crosse Knitting Works. Apply at the office at once.

WANTED—Girl at Henry & Frank's.

WANTED—Cook and second girl at 232 South Eighth street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework, 1229 State street.

WANTED—Nurse girl, German preferred. 1112 State.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 518 State street.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Family of three. A. R. Nelson, 1204 Ferry street.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Call at 1532 Madison street.

### HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade. Ten positions for every graduate. Top wages paid. Few weeks completes. Course includes tools and diplomas. Can nearly earn expenses if desired. Catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—Boys from 16 years and up, at La Crosse Can company.

WANTED—First class cabinet maker. Vought-Berger company.

WANTED—Pressfeeders at Liesenfeld's printing office, 209 Main street.

WANTED—Teamster. Gateway City Transfer line.

BOYS WANTED at once at the Stoddard.

WANTED—Tinner and stove men at Fred Dittman Hardware company.

WANTED—Machinists, lathe, planer, shaper and drill press hands, vise, floor and handy men. Apply A. B. C. Tribune office.

### LOST

LOST—Irish setter dog, 1 year old, white breast, answers name Bud. Reward, return to Lundgren, 411 North Sixth street.

### FOR SALE

FARM for sale or rent—163 acres in good condition, seven miles from city. Call at August Law, 2235 Mormon Coulee road, city.

FOR SALE—Brick, stone, wood and timber. Otto Granke, 833 Rose street.

FOR SALE—Upright piano in good condition. 510 Cass street.

FOR SALE—One sideboard, \$14; six dining room chairs, \$12. All new. Call new phone 795-C.

FOR SALE—Second hand furniture at 504 South Fifth street.

FOR SALE—Household furniture this week at 801 Cass street.

FOR SALE—Brick house and barn, 618 South Fifth street. Inquire on premises or 410 Main street.

FOR SALE—Household goods at a bargain. Call 809 Charles street.

FOR SALE—Restaurant; fine location, next to the Bijou, 119 South Third street. D. Jehlen, Jr.

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern house, centrally located; gentlemen preferred. Apply 1122 Main street.

FOR RENT—Four-room houses, one 1016 Badger, one 425 North Eleventh.

FOR RENT—Five or six rooms, lower floor, cistern and cellar. 823 South Sixth.

FOR RENT—234 South Seventh street. City heat. Newly painted and decorated. First class in every way. Address 1419 Cass street. New phone 726-M.

FOR RENT—Modern six-room cottage. Inquire 320 North Eighth street.

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished or unfurnished, 324 North Seventh street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping with bath at 427 State street.

### MISCELLANEOUS

YOUNG WOMAN attending school, wants place to work for board. Address Miss K, care W. B. U.

### FINANCIAL

**LOANS** made salaried people on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. LA CROSSE MORTGAGE & LOAN CO., 822 Main Street, up stairs.

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Cauliflower—Each, 10@15c.  
Parsley—Bunch, 5c.  
Cabbage—New, each, 5c.  
Potatoes—Peck, 15c.  
bushel, \$1.  
Carrots—Peck, 15c.  
Beets—Peck, 20c.  
Home Grown Peas—Peck, 30c.  
Cocoanuts—Each, 5 to 10c.  
Lettuce, home grown—2 bunches for 5c.  
Onions, home grown—3 bunches, 5c.  
Pie Plant—Three pounds, 5c.  
Radishes, home grown—3 bunches or 5c.  
Wax Beans—Peck, 30c.  
Summer Squash—5c.  
Hubbard Squash—5@8c.

### Fish.

Pickrel, 5c; pike, 10c; white, 10c; trout, 10c; salmon, 15c; herring 4 to 6c; halibut, 12c; perch, 6c.

### City Market

Hay—New, \$8; wild, \$6.50.  
Straw—Per ton, \$5@6.  
Hogs—Over 200 pounds, \$6; under 200 pounds, \$2.50@5.90.

## DAVIDSON PARDONS DUNN, MILWAUKEE BRIBE TAKER

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)  
MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 18.—Michael Dunn, former building inspector and private secretary to former Mayor Rose, who was convicted and sentenced to eighteen months in the house of correction on the charge of receiving a bribe from the Pabst Brewing company, was pardoned yesterday by Governor Davidson.

Dunn has been in poor health since he was imprisoned in the house of correction and for some months past his friends have made efforts to obtain his release. Yesterday his brother, Patrick Dunn, went to Madison and obtained the formal pardon. The document was brought to Milwaukee last evening, placed in the hands of Inspector Mommson and Dunn was released shortly before 10 o'clock.

Accompanied by his brother he went to his home.

## DEMOCRATS WILL ENDORSE HEARST

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Investigation exhaustively made indicates Hearst's chances for securing the endorsement of the democratic convention at Buffalo are greatly improved. Even his opponents admit their situation is desperate and New Yorkers say Hearst will control delegations from nearly twenty up-state counties.

## ELKHORN FAIR OPENS

ELKHORN, Wis., Sept. 18.—The Elkhorn fair, being the fifty-seventh annual exhibition of the Walworth County Agricultural society, opened its gates today on the largest exhibit of cattle, horses, hogs, swine and poultry ever displayed on the grounds. Other departments are filled to overflowing and workmen are hurrying to erect extra stabling. Entries in all departments exceed those of the corresponding day in any year in the history of the society. The grounds have been enlarged. In spite of the additional space the officers find themselves unable to properly locate numerous concessions.

**Launch Fair at Ozaukee**  
CEDARBURG, Wis., Sept. 18.—The forty-eighth annual Ozaukee county fair opened yesterday. Exhibits of art, farm products, and stock are far more numerous than heretofore and free attractions of every nature add to the amusements.

## ADMIRAL WHO AID-ED DEWEY DIES

GIBRALTER, Sept. 18.—Rear Admiral Sir Edward Chichester, commander of the British Squadron at Manila during the Spanish-American war, who gave his moral support to Dewey against the Germans at a critical point, died of pneumonia after a short illness.

**Very Low Excursion Rates to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo.**  
Via the North-Western Line, will be in effect from all stations, Oct. 13 to 16, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of American Mining congress. For full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

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From August 27th.

**\$28.92** to Portland, Tacoma, Seattle, Victoria, Vancouver and many other points in the Pacific Northwest.

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## Half Rate Excursion

La Crosse Day at Viroqua Fair  
**Wed., Sept. 19**  
**La Crosse & Southeastern R'y**  
(Will run a Special Train on the following schedule)

| STATIONS        | Time        | Round Trip Rate |
|-----------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Leave La Crosse | 9:00 a. m.  | \$1.31          |
| " Stoddard      | 9:45 a. m.  | .95             |
| " Chaseburg     | 10:00 a. m. | .70             |
| " Coon Valley   | 10:15 a. m. | .55             |
| " Westby        | 10:45 a. m. | .25             |
| Arrive Viroqua  | 11:00 a. m. |                 |

Returning, special train will leave Viroqua at 6:45 p. m. and arrive at La Crosse 8:45 p. m. Stops will be made at Fair Grounds Viroqua both going and returning, for the accommodation of passengers who do not wish to go up town.

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### Railroad Time Tables

#### CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL.

|                                     | LEAVE   | ARRIVE   |
|-------------------------------------|---|--|
| Chicago, Milwaukee and the East     | 2:35 a. m.<br>12:35 p. m.<br>11:05 p. m.              | 3:10 a. m.<br>7:05 a. m.<br>10:45 a. m.                |
| Winona, St. Paul & Minneapolis      | 3:20 a. m.<br>7:15 a. m.<br>10:55 a. m.<br>5:35 p. m. | 2:30 a. m.<br>12:35 a. m.<br>6:50 p. m.<br>12:25 p. m. |
| Dubuque, Rock Island Omaha and West | a 12:01 p. m.<br>a 3:50 p. m.                         | a 11:20 a. m.<br>a 4:55 p. m.                          |
| Southern Minnesota Division         | a 10:30 a. m.<br>c 7:20 p. m.                         | a 11:20 p. m.<br>a 3:45 p. m.                          |

: Daily; a, daily except Sunday; c, daily except Saturday.

#### CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY

In Effect June 3d, 1906

|   | LEAVE                                   | ARRIVE                                   |
|---|---|--|
| For Prairie du Chien, Dubuque, Chicago, St. Louis, intermediate pts. and connections beyond | 12:15 night<br>2:25 a. m.<br>12:14 noon | 3:30 a. m.<br>8:09 a. m.<br>6:00 p. m.   |
| For Winona, Alma, Prescott, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Winnipeg and Northwest           | 3:30 a. m.<br>8:09 a. m.<br>6:00 p. m.  | 12:15 night<br>12:25 a. m.<br>12:14 noon |

#### CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

|   | LEAVE  | ARRIVE   |
|---|--|--|
| Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison and East, Duluth and Superior | a 8:00 a. m.<br>a 12:35 p. m.<br>b 10:40 p. m. | b 5:30 a. m.<br>a 12:15 p. m.<br>a 5:30 p. m.  |
| Trempealeau, Galesville, Winona, Owatonna and West        | b 5:30 a. m.<br>a 12:15 p. m.<br>a 5:30 p. m.  | a 8:00 a. m.<br>a 12:35 p. m.<br>b 10:40 p. m. |

References: a, daily except Sunday; b, daily

#### GREEN BAY & WESTERN R. R.

| To and From   | Leave La Crosse | Arrive La Crosse |
|---|-----------------|------------------|
| Arcadia, Blair Independence, Whitehall, Merrillan, Grand Rapids, Stevens Point, New London Green Bay & Kewaunee | A 8:13 a. m.    | A 4:40 p. m.     |

A Daily except Sunday

#### LA CROSSE & SOUTHEASTERN RAILWAY.

| To and From                                       | Leave La Crosse                              | Arrive La Crosse                              |
|---|--|---|
| Stoddard, Chaseburg, Coon Valley, Westby, Viroqua | a 7:40 a. m.<br>b 4:00 p. m.<br>c 6:30 p. m. | a 10:15 a. m.<br>b 5:00 p. m.<br>c 7:30 p. m. |

a daily; b daily except Sunday; c Sunday only.  
All trains arrive and depart from C. B. & Q. depot

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To Boys and Girls at Bottling Department—Gund Brewing Company. : :  
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### LA CROSSE WHOLESALE.

#### Poultry.

Chickens—Old, 7@8c; spring, 9@10c.  
Turkeys—12@17c.  
Ducks—9 to 10c.  
Geese—8c.  
Pigeons—90c a dozen.

#### Butter and Eggs.

Butter—Creamery, 25@26c; dairy, 22@24c; roll, 20c.  
Eggs—Per doz., 20@21c.

#### Fruit

California Lemons—\$8.  
Bananas—Per bunch, \$1.75@2.50.  
California Peaches—Box, \$1.25.  
Plums—Crate, \$1.75@2.  
Tex. Elberta Peaches—Bus., \$1.25.  
Cal. Bartlett Peaches—Box, \$2.50.  
Cal. Plums—Crate, \$1.75@2.  
Cucumbers—Bushel, \$1.20.  
Apples—Cooking, barrel, \$1.75.  
Cal. Grapes—\$1.50.  
Cal. Pears—\$2.50.  
Apples—Eating, barrel, \$2.50.  
Verdilla Lemons—\$8.

#### Flour.

Flour—Patent, per bbl., \$4.20; straight, per bbl., \$4.

#### Provisions.

Lard—9 3/4@10c.  
Hams—13@13 1/2c.  
Bacon—11 1/2@12 1/2c.  
Shoulders—10c.  
Picnic Hams—9 1/2c.  
Dry Beef—14@16c.

#### Meat.

Mill feed—Bran per ton, \$17; shorts per ton, \$18; white middlings per ton, \$20; red dog per ton, \$22.

#### Grain.

Wheat—60@70c.  
Barley—35@38c.  
Corn—42@45c.  
Rye 45@50c.  
Oats—30c.

#### Cheese.

(By Henry Andregg.)  
Cream Twins—12 1/2@13c.  
Brick—11 1/2@12c.  
Swiss Block—15c.  
German Hand Cheese—per box 90c  
Limburger—11 1/2@12c.  
Daisies—13c.  
Swiss Round—15c.

#### Livestock.

Hogs—\$5@5.75.  
Cattle—Steers, \$2.50@3; heifers, \$2@3.  
Sheep—\$3@4.  
Lambs—\$4@5.

#### LA CROSSE RETAIL.

Eggs—Strictly fresh, 22c.  
Butter—Dairy, 25c; creamery, 27c.  
Oranges—Dozen, 35@50c.  
Lemons—Dozen, 35c.  
Bananas—Dozen, 20c.  
Grapefruit—Each, 12 1/2@20c.  
Cherries—Pound, 25c.  
Pie Cherries—Quart, 15c.  
Gooseberries—Quart, 12 1/2@15c.  
Blueberries—Quart, 12 1/2c.  
Black Raspberries—Quart, 12 1/2c.  
Red Raspberries—Quart, 15c.  
Lemons—Dozen, 30c.  
Plums—Dozen, 10, 15 and 20c.  
Cucumbers—Four for 5c.

#### Vegetables.

Osage Melons—10@12 1/2c.  
Head Lettuce—Bunch, 10c.  
Celery—Bunch, 5c.

## Tribune Want Ads. Will Hustle For You

Store-management is something of a "black art," for printers' ink is usually black, and without it there is no "store-management"—only "store-keeping."



## CALIFORNIA NOMINEE ESCH'S CHUM

James W. Gillett, a former Badger, a classmate of Congressman John J. Esch, has been nominated for governor on the republican ticket in California. Mr. Esch received word of the nomination today.

"Gillett was born near Viroqua and attended the Sparta schools," said Congressman Esch this morning. "We read law together in A. E. Bleckman's office, I remember."

"When Gillett finished his education he started for the west. Jim's father had invented a patent scrubbing brush and the young man took an armful of these and started for St. Paul where he sold them, securing enough money to go west. He worked along the road from Montana to the coast."

"At last he settled in Eureka, Cal., beginning the practice of law. He has been successful in that and also in politics as his nomination shows."

## PLOT TO DYNAMITE TREPOFF FUNERAL

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.) ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 18.—Preparations had been made to blow up every attendant at the Trepoft funeral today.

The plot was discovered and two arrests were made in connection with it.

## \$100,000 RAILROAD FIRE IN MISSOURI

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.) SEDALIA, Mo., Sept. 18.—The shops, stock and fourteen cars in the Missouri, Kansas & Texas yards here burned this morning with a loss of \$100,000.

### BANKER KILLED

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.) CAIRO, Ill., Sept. 18.—P. J. Thistlewood, a grain merchant and bank director was killed this morning while alighting from a train which he boarded by mistake.

## ICE OFFICIALS DELIVER PRODUCT TO SICK IN MOTOR CARS

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.) DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 18.—Drivers of the Peoples' Ice company are striking and will not allow a wagon to move. President Brown, the superintendent and other officials are driving about in motor cars with loads of small chunks, delivering them wherever they find sick persons.

## BRYAN SPEAKS IN SEVEN SOUTHERN TOWNS TODAY

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.) GREENSBORO, N. C., Sept. 18.—Mr. Bryan today began the second stage of his southern speech-making trip. Seven towns were on today's list.

### WABASH MEN STRIKE

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.) CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—Thousands of Wabash shop employees struck along the system yesterday.

### SPURIOUS "HALFS" PERFECT

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.) DES MOINES, Ia., Sept. 18.—Secret service men are investigating the circulation of half dollars supposed to be spurious. They are said to be perfect. It is believed the die was stolen.

### DIVORCE IS GRANTED

Ruby E. Tower was granted a divorce from George Tower on grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment and nonsupport by Judge Fruit this morning.

### SELL FARM PROPERTY

James and Adell Boorman have sold to Frank Chichester property in the town of Campbell for a consideration of \$3,500.

## A Fine Bath Towel

is not only a "thing of beauty but a joy forever." Our Christy line, imported from Manchester, England covers every need of the bather in the towel line. Look the line over. The towels will speak for themselves.

## ERHART'S Red Cross Drug Stores.

## Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

### PERT PARAGRAPHS.

There are people who are very smart, but don't know how to prove it.

The wild waves are saying that they hear a lot of fool things about this time of the year.

Some people see only beauty in a nice green lawn, and others see only grass to be cut.

Any pretty girl is guaranteed to be able to supply help to a bashful young man.

Although riches have wings they don't seem to be very good on the perch.

Teaching a woman to be quiet is a lifelong task for a man.

Only lawyers for the defense hate to see people get their just deserts.

Dentists do not consider toothache painful—to the dentist.

## TO TEACH BUSINESS METHODS

New Courses at the State University, With Practical Instruction in Commercial Lines.—Museum Established for Latest Devices in Office Supplies.—School of Commerce Extends Its Work to Meet Growing Demand for College Men in Business.

### (Special Tribune Dispatch.)

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 18.—The practical character which college courses are now taking on is nowhere better illustrated than in the development of the recently established department of business administration at the University of Wisconsin. The new department which is part of the course in commerce, is being extended to cover all phases of commercial activities from the point of view of the business man. The courses supplemented by practical laboratory work, are designed to give the student all the available information regarding the latest and best methods of business management. A commercial museum is being developed, and already contains a large collection of office appliances of all kinds, and examples of advertising material, as well as a large collection consisting of thousands of foreign and domestic products.

### Study Business Organization

The course in business organization begins with a comparative study of personal partnership and corporation ownership, followed by a consideration of wholesale, jobbing and mail order houses, department stores, manufacturing commission and brokerage concerns, banks, and trust companies. Lantern slides are used to show charts of various schemes of organization, bringing out their characteristics and comparative values.

Cost of production and factory accounting constitutes another important branch of the work. After a quick analysis of the cost of labor and material, much time is devoted to up-to-date, over-head charges, burden, general expense, joint costs, scientific machine-rate, piece rate, premium plan, depreciation, reserves, sinking and other funds, capital and revenue. There is probably no phase of the course that brings the student nearer to the real questions which are today baffling the best accountants and experienced men in every business. Under the subject of cost accounting are studied collective and triplicate systems; production and shop orders; job tickets; bills of material; plant, standing and running orders, stores, ledgers, and cost of ledgers. To keep up-to-date in these lines of work, the department maintains extensive correspondence with many large concerns, and here students get experience in practical correspondence.

### Financial Methods.

Parallel with this work, in business management, students carry a similar study of financial institutions. Here are considered bank bookkeeping, discounting, loaning, clearing houses, currency movements; then under the study of private banks are considered promoting, organizing, underwriting, syndicates; and under trust companies are studied corporate and undivided trusts, executorships, receiverships, investments, and safe deposits. This work closes with a general survey of practice in Wall Street and in other financial centers.

### Learn How to Advertise.

Effective methods of advertising is a recent addition to the study including such sub-topics as the value and principles of advertising—general, local, mail-order, and financial advertising; use of periodicals, bill boards, signs, bulletins, and street cars; training and duties of advertising advisors, solicitors, managers, and agencies; checking and filing. One of the strongest features of the course is the use of several thousand advertisements, systematically collected, covering nearly all lines of advertising. Lantern slides are being made of the most important, enabling the instructor to discuss essential points before classes.

### Most Effective Salesmanship.

The study of the art of salesmanship follows closely the course in advertising, beginning with the analysis of buying and selling activities, fundamental principles, and essential characteristics. Much attention is given to practical systems where the records

of results of the greatest sales departments all lead to the sales manager's desk in such form that he may give directions as specific and reliable as if he were present in any one of the many fields of activity. Buying naturally follows. Under this subject are studied the relations of buyer and seller, and the different characteristics and duties in department stores, wholesale houses, hotels, banks, trust companies, by mail, and of traveling salesmen. Much attention is given to the study of commercial centers, their cause, where centers for various staples are located, and their influence on prices. The buyer for a large concern must also be provided with an excellent system to wisely do all the purchasing. His quotation system must be such that it can be easily kept up-to-date, that the price of anything desired may be had at a glance.

### Has Many Office Appliances.

In the later years of the course office equipment and systems are studied. In organizing this course the department undertook to open correspondence with every concern in the country which manufactured office appliances. At present there are on file catalogs and correspondence from nearly three hundred concerns, with adequate information on every device manufactured to reduce work, do it better or more economically. Last year manufacturers sent samples of their product to Madison for students' practice. This resulted in a collection of office appliances of all sorts. The collection was so satisfactory that on June 8th an office appliance show was given at the university for the benefit of business men. This summer office appliance manufacturers have been asked to furnish lantern slides for the university courses and public lectures throughout the state, and slides are now coming in with nearly every delivery of express on the campus. Lectures given with these slides are bound to be interesting and instructive. The general course includes printing, stationery; advertising, filing, and binding devices; loose leaf and card systems; telephone conveniences; follow-up devices; map and tack systems; time clocks; locks; registers and computers; commercial graphophones; letter and rotary presses; manifolders, folding, addressing, and sealing machines; check protectors, and other small equipments.

### To Cooperate With Business Men

The department is planning to cooperate with the business men of the state, to do for them what the agricultural college and experiment station have done for the farmers and agricultural interests of Wisconsin. Any business problem, like cost accounting, advertising, or office systems, will be considered for any concern in the state. Not only will questions be answered by correspondence, but professors and instructors will visit interested concerns and personally assist them in working out their business problems. The head of the department will visit commercial centers throughout the country, and after making carefully study of similar conditions, will give the business men of this state the benefit of this investigation. The libraries of New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, and Madison will be used to procure the best American and foreign books, trade-journals, and other literature.

### Gives Instruction by Mail

The latest movement in this work has been the adapting of all courses to teaching by correspondence. All courses in business administration taught in the university are being organized for teaching by mail, under the auspices of the University Extension Department.

President Van Hise and the board of regents are very anxious that the expert service at the university shall reach every person in the state who can be benefited, and there is no field of activity so quick to take advantage of improved methods as the commercial interests.

### Excursion Tickets to County Fair at West Salem, Wis.,

Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates Sept. 10 to 14, inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 15, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

### Very Low Rates to Chattanooga, Tenn.

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold Sept. 15 to 17, inclusive with favorable return limits, on account of Regimental Reunion, Anniversary Battle of Chickamauga. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

### Half Rates to Northern Wisconsin State Fair at Chippewa Falls,

Via the North-Western Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip, Sept. 16 to 20, inclusive, limited to return until Sept. 22, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

### Excursions to Fairs

The C. M. & St. P. Ry. will sell tickets for the following events at very low rates: For the Vernon county fair to be held at Viroqua, Wis., Sept. 17 to 21. For rates, dates of sale, limits, etc., call at ticket office.

## September Bargains

### BLANKETS

10-4 cotton gray blankets with colored border, each 50c.

BLACK TAFFETA SILK 19 inch black taffeta silk, 75c grade, per yard 59c.

LADIES' UNDERWEAR Ladies' fleeced lined underwear, form fitting at ea. 50c

### MUSLIN

36 inch unbleached muslin 9c val. at per yard 7½c.

SHAKER FLANNEL 26 inch cream color shaker flannel, at per yard 5c.

SHIRT CAMBRIC Light color Shirt Cambric, 36 inch wide, per yard 10c

### LUNCH CLOTHS

All linen hemstitched damask designs, \$1.00 value, each 79c.

### DRESS GOODS

Choice Suitings in all shades at 50c a yard.

### McGRAW CORSETS

Fall styles well made, fits all forms, each 50c.

### OUTING FLANNEL

Best grade light or dark outing flannel per yard 10c

### LADIES' BELTS

Big assortment Ladies' Belts sold up to 50c, at each 10c.

### FLANNELETTE

36 inch light or dark flannelette, at per yard 12½c.

### TOWELS

Knotted fringed Damask towels, size 22x46 ea. 19c.

### TABLE LINEN

72 inch bleached Table Damask, choice designs 75c value, at 50c.

### TRAY CLOTHS

All linen Tray Cloths, hemstitched, 25c value at 15c.

### LACE CURTAINS

Special lot Lace Curtains, to close at pair \$1.35.

# Poehling's

Cor. 4th and Main.

All Cars Start and stop at this store

## BASEBALL

LAST GAMES OF THE SEASON

ST. PAUL

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION LEAGUE CLUB

VS.

LA CROSSE Champions

Saturday & Sunday, Sept. 22-23

Don't fail to come and root. Proceeds for benefit of players.

Admission 25, 35 and 50 cents GAME CALLED at 3:15 and 8 P. M.

## BIJOU FAMILY THEATRE

The Grandest Sight Ever Seen in Moving Pictures

WEDDING OF KING ALPHONSO OF SPAIN

See the Peerage of the world in all its glory. This wedding was the talk of the whole world. Kings, Queens, Dukes and Lords, from every country in the world were there and you see the whole proceeding just as if you were there at the time. No one can afford to miss these pictures.

FITZHUGH AND BESSIE LEE Present a Hypnotic Illusion, Entitled A ROMAN SYBIL'S DREAM MYSTERY MYSTERY MYSTERY

### TULSA

The Girl With The Big Black Eyes.

FRANK MARCKLY, Banjo Virtuoso

And he is a World-Beater in his line.

RENTFROW AND JANSEN

In the "Second Mr. Fiddle"

Will make you laugh as you never laughed before.

LAWRENCE WALL

Illustrated Song

"In After Years When I Grow Old"

MOVING PICTURES

Waiting at the Church

King Alphonso's Wedding

Ladies' Popular Matinee Every Day 2:30 P. M. Admission 10 Cents.

TWO PERFORMANCES EVERY NIGHT

10c First one at 7:30; Second one at 9:00 P. M. Admission 10c. Reserved Seats 15c 10c

## FALL STYLES ARRIVING



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THE New Styles for Fall are coming in fast. The Coats will be exceptionally handsome this season on account of the close fitting back and the gentle drape of the skirt. Among the handsomest garments of the season are those known as the

## KAUFMAN GARMENT

These suits sell from \$10.00 to \$20.00, and are the very embodiment of handsome style and fine tailoring. It is really difficult to detect any mark of the ready-to-wear appearance in them. They are nearly all hand-tailored and could be made but little better if the cost were double.

If you want a Hat that will always keep its shape, buy the celebrated DEMPSTER, the very best \$3.00 Hat in the market. If you prefer a cheaper grade we have the GATEWAY CITY, an excellent article for \$2.50.

Remember we carry a full line of GENT'S FURNISHINGS.

M. & C. NEWBURG, Corner Third & Pearl Streets.